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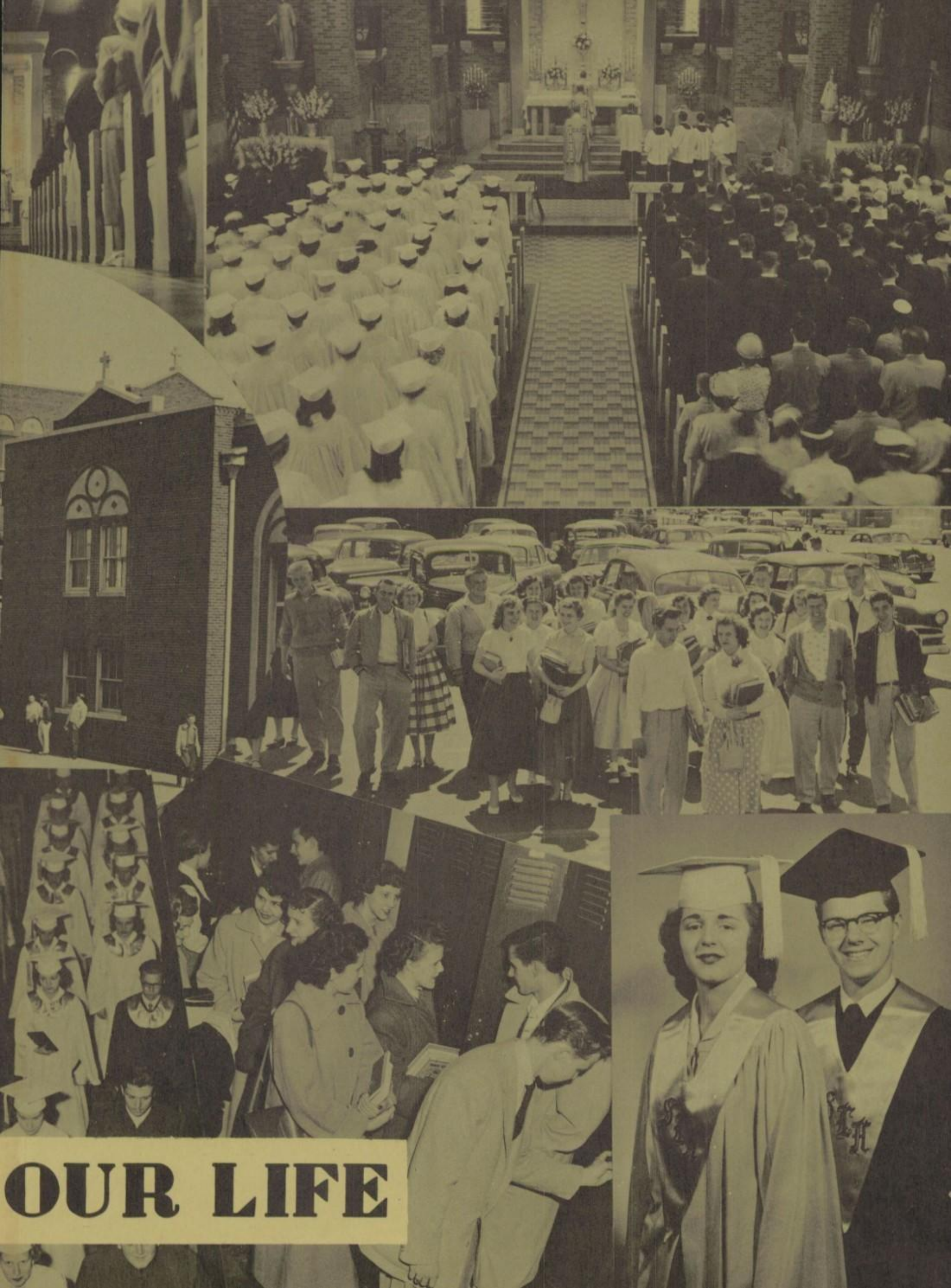

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FOREWORD — THIS IS OUR LIFE

This Is OUR Life . . . Lads and Lasses . . . buoyant, spirited, wholesome . . . ever changing, ever growing . . . endowed with similar but not with the same physical traits.

What makes us what we are — our appearance, our character, our conduct? The interplay of heredity and environment. Coupled with mind and will, and fortified by grace, they spark each personality.

We Lads and Lassies enter the play of life with the glow of youthful challenge. We accept our biological inheritance, transmitted through genes, however uncontrollable. For the development of our potentialities, however, we rely on environmental factors. Church, school, home, recreation, and friends reflect the attitudes, ambitions, skills, and habits of our teenage life. Affecting the character of our thinking and forming the basis of our conduct, environment aids us in our growth into adulthood.

Life courses along in a ceaseless, whirring change with joys and sorrows, triumphs and achievements. In the light of the 1955 TORCH, we bring into full view St. Ladislaus High School. Having lived its life in an atmosphere teeming with principles of sound social living and in the companionship of youth pulsating with the vitality of Christ, lightly and confidently, we stop forth unto life's highway — readied to live as worthwhile Christians and worthy citizens in an ever changing world . . . St. Ladislaus High makes us what we are . . .

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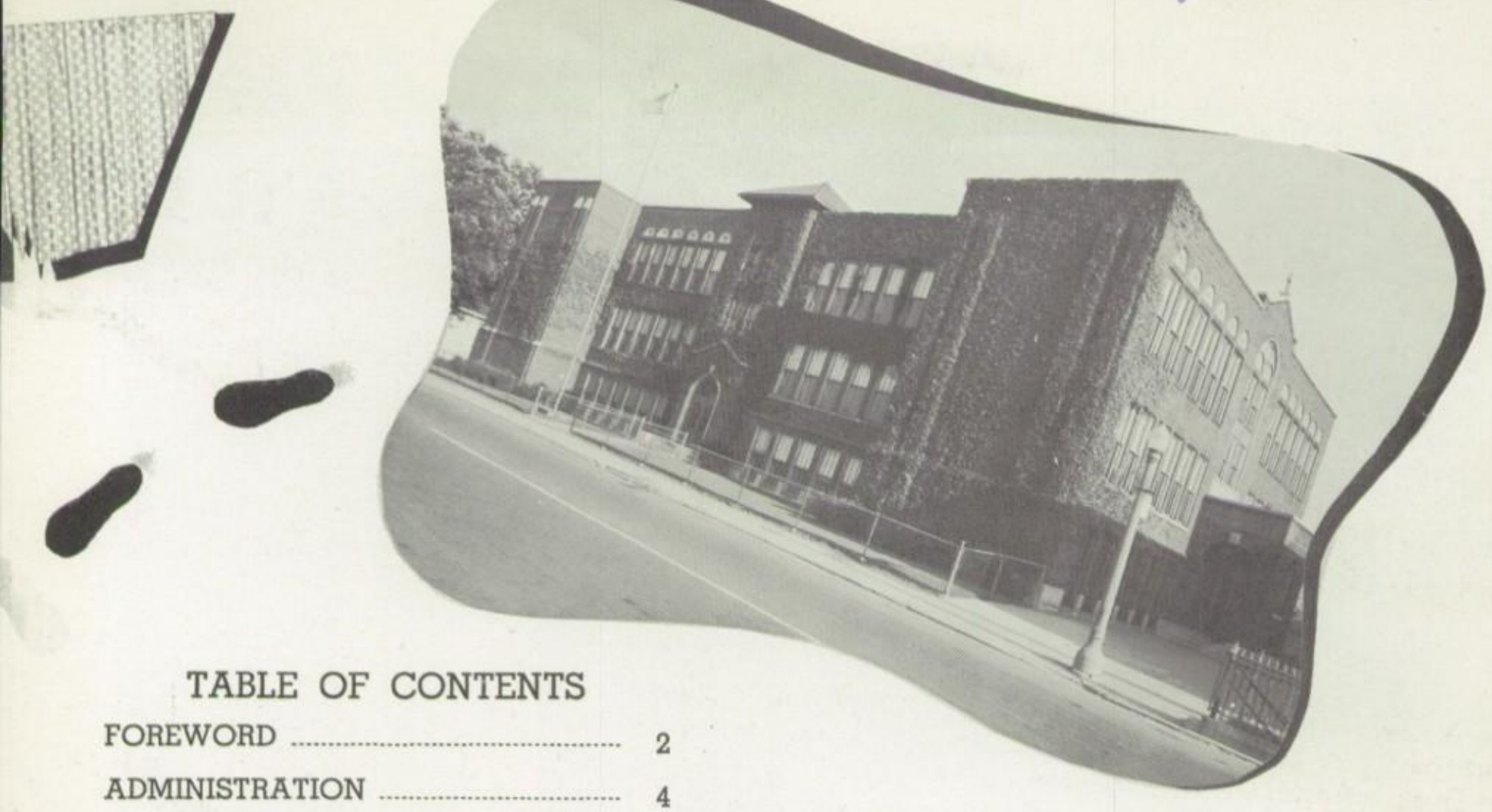
Sophomore year



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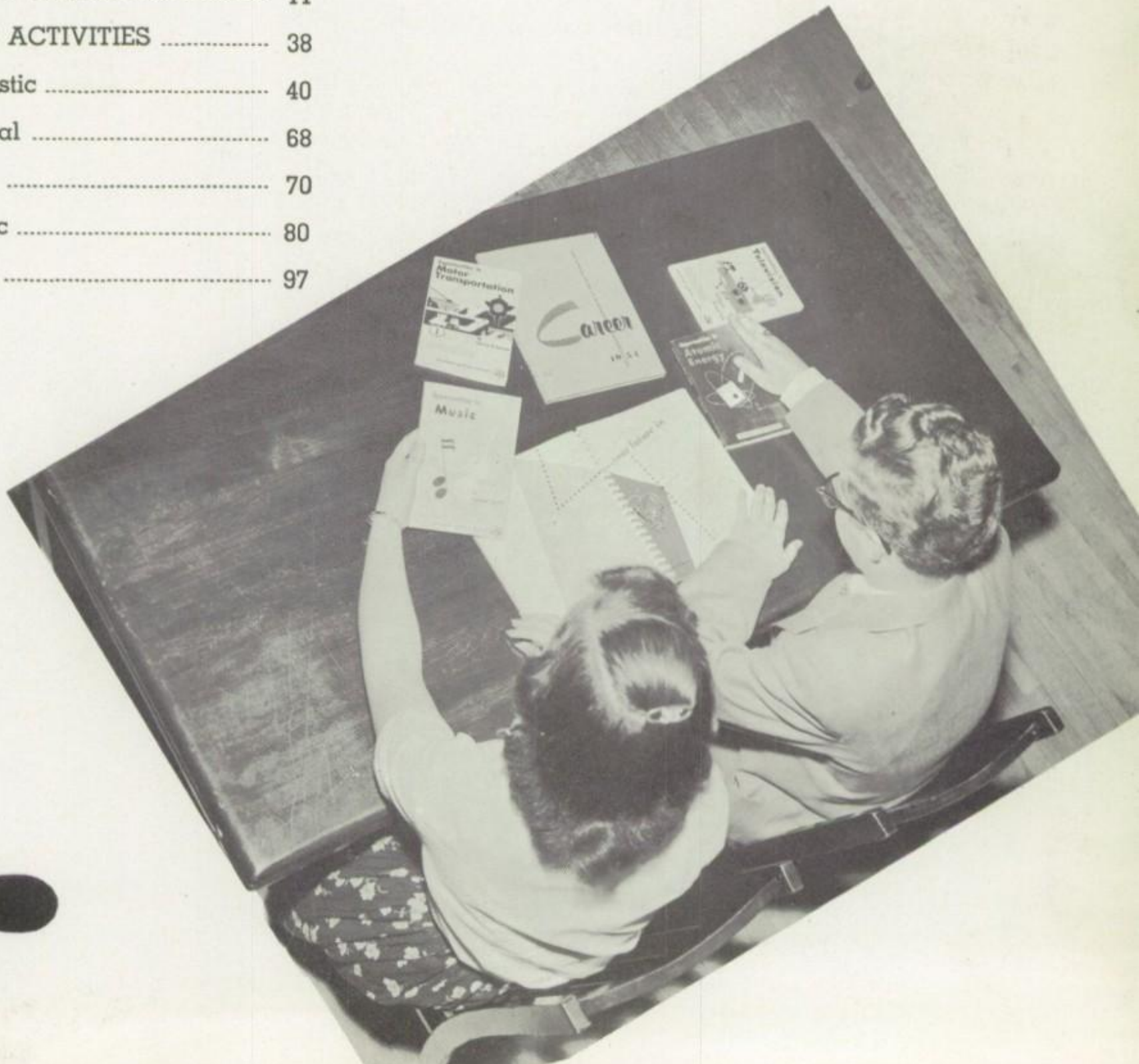


Our Master Guides Direct the Way

Reverend A. A. Majewski

Pastor

Prophetic of victories to come in the sports world, Father Anthony Majewski, pastor, exchanged banter with Ladislites and guests at the 26th Annual Football Banquet. It was sponsored by the International Kiwanis Club at the Tau Beta Community Center. Detroit Tiger pitcher Steve Gromek, 1938, wearing the look of success after having gained the cherished 20-game mark this year, beams at the unabated enthusiasm over Greyhound stamina, so characteristically expressed by Father Dolot, virile athletic director. Among SL senior gridders hosted was senior president, John Cech.

All the world honors an ardent, upright leader . . . and so do we . . . candidly and wholeheartedly. Times may change, but leadership at St. Ladislaus does not. Top drawing of our esteem is Father Anthony Majewski. There are four ways of telling his leadership story:

The magnitude of his priestly administration is impressive.

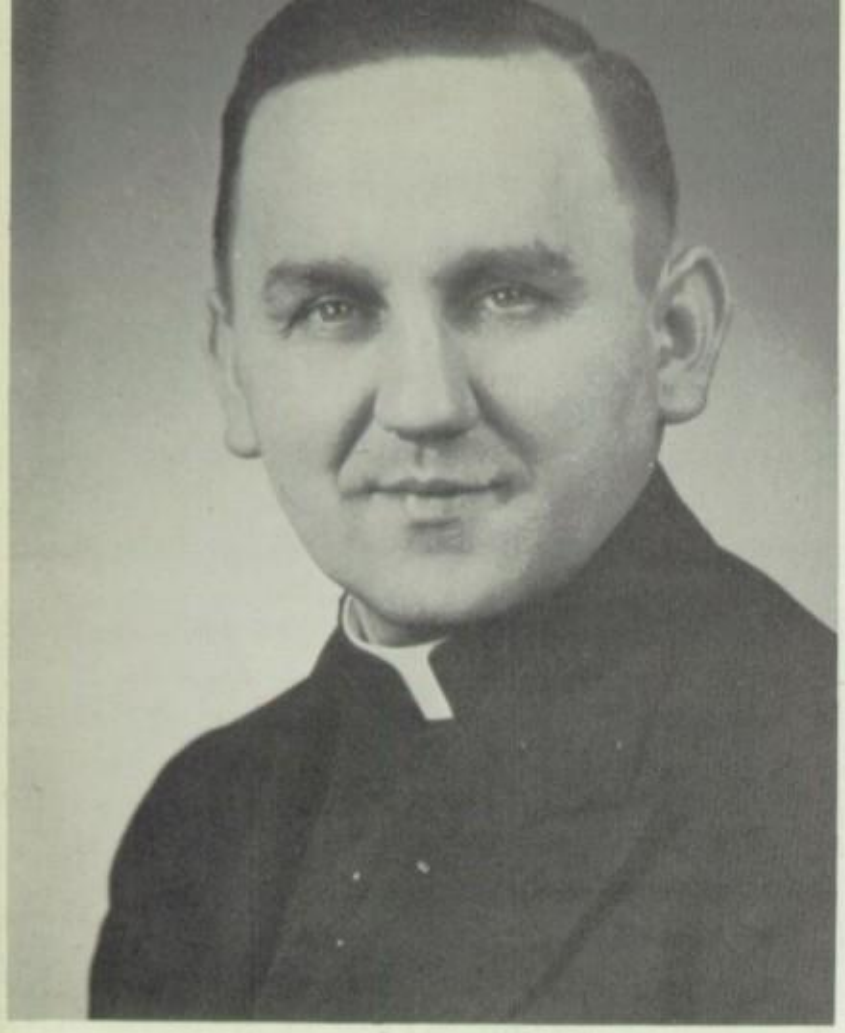
His self-sacrificing devotion as pastor for thirty-three years has endeared him as an "alter Christus" in the hearts and minds, particularly of the youth in our parish.

While sharing the delights of our tender years, his understanding permeates us with a serene nobility, like that experienced when viewing the majesty of mountains from below.

There is persuasion, too, in his mastery as a builder. Every obstacle surmounted brought its silent compensation. First, was an elementary school, shortly followed by a two year commercial high. The establishment of a senior high school strengthened the sinewy existence of his parish. Affiliated with the University of Michigan, St. Ladislaus High, with an enrollment exceeding five hundred, has taken its rank with the top five in the Archdiocese of Detroit. That our hearts be further enshrined in faith and prayer, the construction of a modern Romanesque church was completed in the Marian Year. Physical training, having been woven into the Scarlet and Gray fabric, the Greyhounds clinched championship titles in the three major sports. With an immediate conversion of the former church building to gym and auditorium purposes in the past year, an extensive recreation program has been put into effect this year.

The 1955 Torch presents a glimpse of the dreams and plans realized in our regard. In token of their fulfillment as potent factors in our environment and soul life, we seniors of the nineteenth graduating class, vote an accolade of thanks to Father Majewski, our benevolent pastor and masterful guide.

Distinction is the Scroll staff's goal, explain top brass Sylvia Engel and Don Warda to Father Majewski, upon reception of the merit certificate. Scaling the hill-top of progress through eye-appeal, word choice, and feature angles, the Scroll was awarded the All-American rating by the National Scholastic Press Association.



Reverend Francis J. Dolot

Masters of Our Soul Life

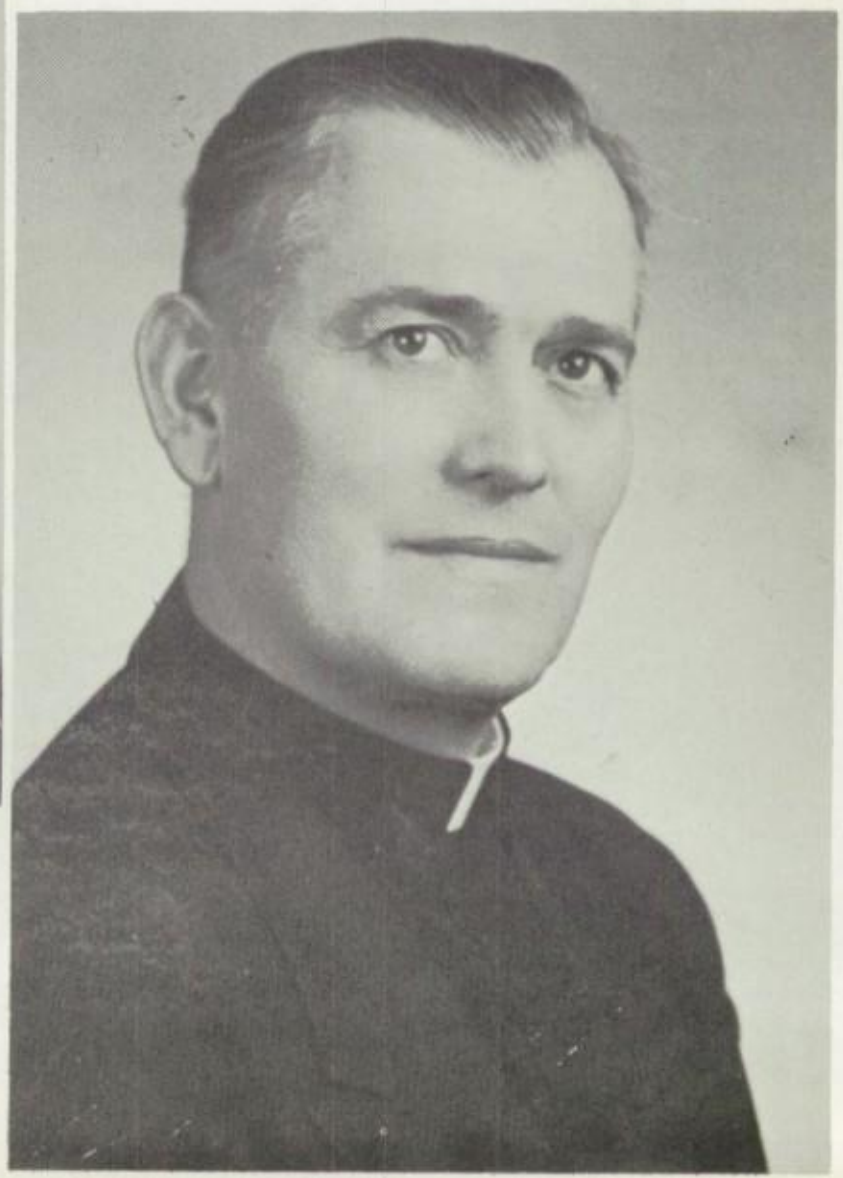
They bring us supernatural life at Baptism.
They cleanse our souls through Penance.
They strengthen our souls with the Holy Eucharist.
They prepare us for family life by Matrimony.
They forearm us for the last conflict with Extreme Unction.
They escort our body to its final resting place for burial.

The Senior members of the L-Club, Carl Kotowicz, Thomas Condon, Zygmunt Grzanka, Thoma Schoenrock, and Stanley Szymanski hold council with Father Francis Dolot.

The solemn mien of Barbara Rataj and Joan Wegrzynowski reflects the weight of the message delivered by Father Eugene Kijek at the Awards Assembly.

Reverend Eugene Kijek

Reverend Lawrence Wnuk



With an eye on their future success, students use foresight in planning their courses of study. Consulting Sister Florian, left, and Sister Germaine as to their schedules are Bernard Richards, Dolores Gagel, Mary Ann Solnikowski, Stanley Kwiatkowski, Elizabeth Kaminski, Wanda Dumala, and Henry Traczynski.

Cultivators of Our Intellectual Life

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English, Ethics

Sister M. Bede, B.S.E., M.S.
Mathematics, Music, Church History
Cheerleaders, Dramatics

Sister M. Blanche
Stenography, Bookkeeping
Future Nurses Club

Many moments of triumph vignette our school life . . . because of our teachers. . . . They express glad tidings upon our successes. With them, through classes and activities, we sing in harmony the songs of contentment. In the slow-beat bailiwick of study or on the shadowed road of failure their counsel offers comforting security.

We are fond of our faculty, comprised of thirteen Sisters of St. Francis, whose motherhouse is in Sylvania, Ohio. They give us reason for cherishing them with far more than a rippling memory. They present life in its true perspective as they unfurl the full meaning of spiritual values. Their teaching tenacity points up to the fact that purposefulness in life and a sense of duty are necessary for the development of the whole man. Our teachers, deeply cognizant of the dignity of the human person, impress us that to uphold this first principle of democracy is to safeguard mankind. Energized by the charity and truth of Christ, as well as by the close knowledge of the teaching profession, acquired at such institutions of wide recognition as the University of Michigan, Fordham, Notre Dame, St. Louis, Loyola, De Paul and the Catholic University of America, they sanction its traditional sacredness. In its complete realization is the crowning blessing of mankind.

Sister M. Jerome, B.S.E., M.A.
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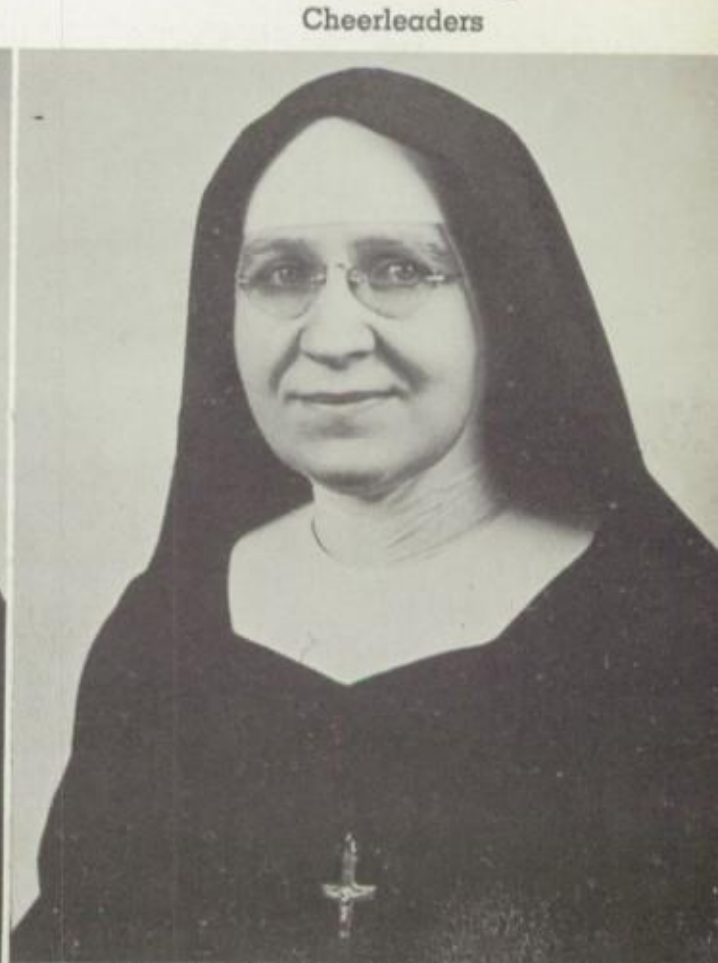
Commercial, Science

Sister M. Blandina, B.A., M.S.
Biology, Church History
Student Council

Sister M. De Chantal, B.A., M.A.
Mathematics, Bible

Sister M. Florian, B.A., M.S.
Science, Sociology
Cheerleaders



Sister M. Germaine, B.A.
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Librarian

Sister Jane Frances, B.S.E.
Latin, Sociology
Mission Crusade Moderator

Sister M. Juliana, B.A.
English, Ethics

Sister M. Rose, B.S.E., M.A.
English, Bible
Yearbook Adviser

Sister M. Rufina, B.S.E., M.A.
Modern History, Science, Bible
Attendance Supervisor

Sister Thomas a Kempis, B.S.E.
English, Latin, Ethics
Scroll Adviser

Students Keep in Pace

Upperclassmen judge the future of SL Hi by the tenor of the up-and-coming freshmen. This eager, wide-eyed bustling group may be found on every occasion, in every direction, peering through gates of adventure.

Firmly clutching pencils in their hot little hands, with an all-out effort they bid for entrance through the Preliminary Tests. On opening day, these little lithe figures trippingly explore their new environs. Some nonplussed, others confident, greet and meet the upperclassmen. Searching out their classrooms, they soon discover, through burrowing knowledge and flickers of facts, the fundamental principles which integrate the course of Christian living.

Our freshmen need no initiation. Picking up momentum, they knit an acquaintance through the Frosh Frolic, sponsored by their prexy and committees. A lesser few, bounding with energy, tumble their way as Jayvee Cheerleaders into the sports area. The freshmen precede the rank and file of our students in Mass attendance and in meeting Mission obligations . . . Opinion is undivided among us Ladislites, that the spirited devotion of our freshmen is first-rate.

Freshman Class Officers

President.....Leonard Dziuk
Vice-president.....Patricia Koveck
Treasurer.....Lawrence Wiechowski
Secretary.....Margaret Chalupniczak

Frosh Take the First Steps

Marlene Adamski, Christine Argasinski, Eugene Barbish, Loretta Bartniczak, Helen Bidock, Barbara Biedul, Linda Bojarski.

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John Muraszewski, Zenia Mustaffa, Norman Mytyk, Jeanette Narkiewicz, Kenneth Olkowski, Barbara Olszewski, Thomas Opoka, Kathleen Panley, Jerome Piwonski.

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Robert Rokicki, Edward Rokuski, Alexandra Rutkowski, Gerald Serwatka, Shirley Sitko, Francine Skibinski.

Lorraine Skibinski, Sandra Slaskey, Barbara Sledzinski, Florence Slowik, Patricia Smigiel, Lawrence Sobczak.

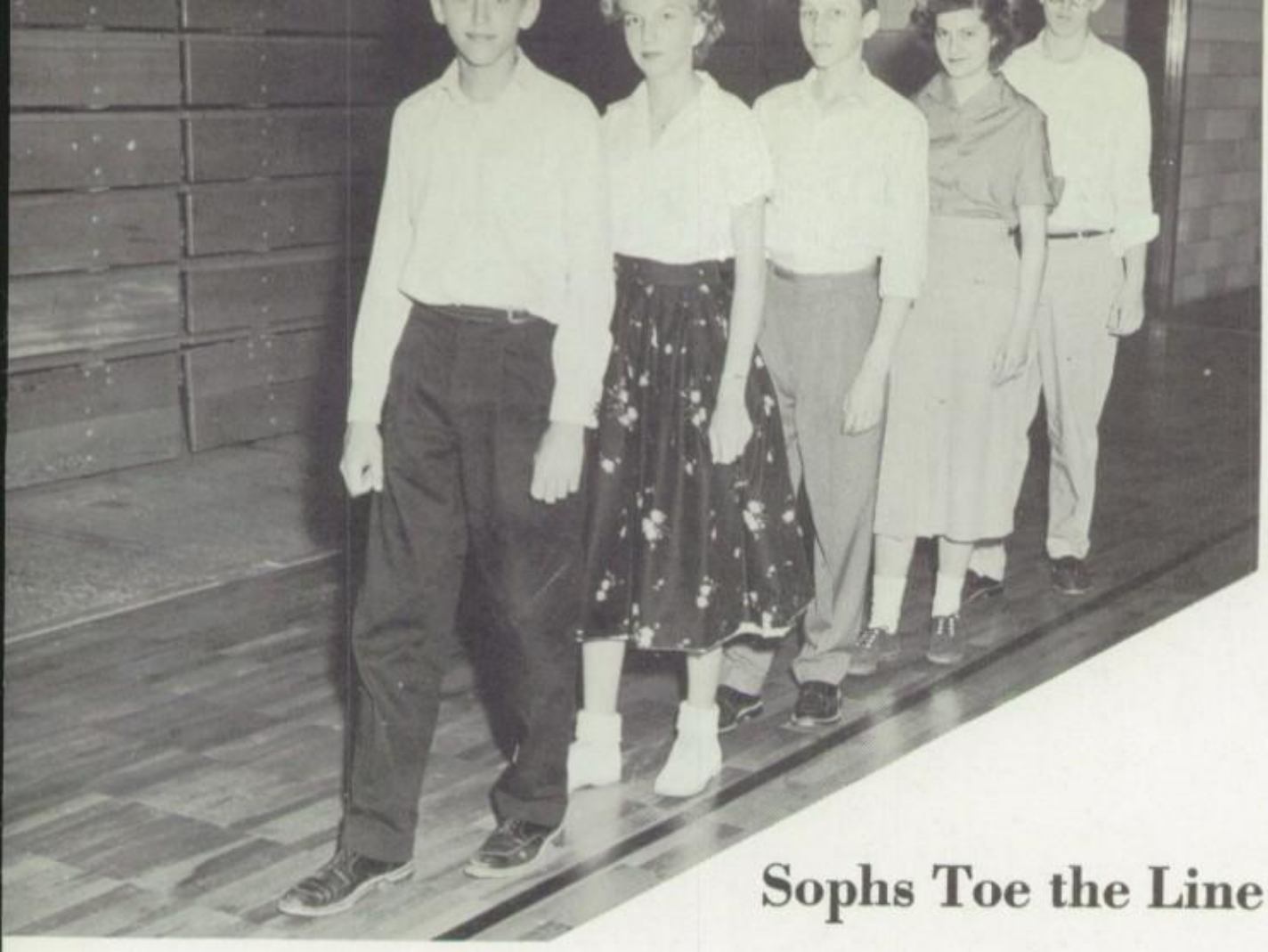
Patricia Sochacki, Rosemary Sondy, Juliana Sosnowski, Melvin Sponer, Cecilia Stachelek, Barbara Zukowski.

Richard Sulkowski, Eugene Szafran, Michael Szajkowski, Elizabeth Szalas, Patricia Sztaba, Shirley Szydlowski.

Richard Terris, Suzan Tomaszewski, Elizabeth Traczynski, Christine Varcak, Andrew Viner, Loretta Wasung.

Lawrence Wiechowski, Anthony Wieczorek, Beverly Wieczorek, Marie Wilk, Sandra Wojtowicz, Barbara Wojtylo.

Richard Worobec, Diane Zabuski, John Zacharias, Lorraine Zaliwski, Robert Zaliwski, Dorothy Zbozen.



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Sophs Toe the Line

Ours is a record sophomore class . . . Never a quarter goes by that it does not capture the highest scholastic honors. Its intellectual vigor holds Freshmen agape. Clearly great is the sophs' strength of numbers. With its 150 enrollment, our scintillating students swell the total 515 — 50 more than last year.

Unlike most others, these fireballs never lose their heat. Enthusiasm ran high at the Soph Sno-Ball Swirl, proceeds of which were turned toward the school benefit fund. Atop the Varsity and Jayvee sports heap — especially baseball — may be found sophomore boys. Their precedence in number while serving at the altar, and the attendance of the girls as they overcrowd the choir loft at each Junior Choir practice, bear testimony of their devotion to duty toward God and man. Indeed, our galaxy of sophomore talent, designedly different, is tagged for higher things.

Trying out the new tape recorder donated by the Sophomores are Casimir Piotrowski, Patricia Mazur, Dolores Gagel, Jerome Lubanski, Joann Winiarski, and Betty Lou Gasperut.

Cecilia Adamczyk, George Adamski, Thaddeus Andrzejewski, Sandra Bann, Dolores Bartkowicz, Leonard Benskey. Adam Bidock, Dolores Bin, Allen Bogucki, Diane Booker, Jerome Browarski, Barbara Bruzek.

Richard Bukowiecki, Mary Jane Burzynski, Betty Bush, Richard Chalupniczak, Lorraine Chodacki, Philip Chralowicz. Melvin Chrzanowski, Norbert Chrzanowski, Carl Ciszewski, Dolores Cwiklowski, Ronald Czekiel, Gerald Dachnowski.

Gerald Daszkiewicz, Bernadine Dudek, James Dzialak, Christine Falkowski, Dolores Felkowski, Lawrence Gajewski. Patricia Galuszka, Joanne Garczewski, Sylvia Garry, Gerald Gdula, Roger Gietek, Robert Gilewski.

Janina Gizowski, Donald Gleneski, Judith Gorczyca, Paul Grubba, Thomas Grubba, Constance Gruszczynski.
Theresa Grzanka, Joan Guzik, Mary Ann Guzik, Christine Halasa, Nancy Hankus, Rose Marie Hyso.

Charles Jacks, Dennis Janda, Barbara Kacanowski, Walter Klaft, Geraldine Konopka, Joanne Kosalka.

Casimira Kosinski, Anna Kowalczyk, Alfred Kowalewski, Rose Marie Kozowicz, Raymond Kozuch, John Kreger, John Krolewski.

Geraldine Kruszewski, Loretta Kryzak, Edward Kubit, Helen Kuranty, Lorraine Kushel, Casmere Kuwik, Elizabeth Laske.

Barbara Lichota, Edward Lizewski, Dorothy Loparec, Louise Lukasik, Robert Lukasiewicz, Theresa Lusiecki, Joseph Maciejewski.

Mary Magic, Richard Matkowski, Harriet Matuszewski, Patricia Mazur, Joseph McKolay, Judith Merchut, Joan Mienaltowski.

Eugene Milewski, Geraldine Milewski, Robert Mularski, Barbara Nowinski, Geraldine Oleksy, Antoinette Opalka, Loretta Osiecki.

Sophomore Class Officers

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Vice-president.....Betty Lou Gasperut
Treasurer.....Cass Piotrowski
Secretary.....Dolores Gagel

Joann Paczwa, Ronald Pawenski, Anna Pawlak, Edward Pazdziora, Roger Plec, Evelyn Pietraszkiewicz, Ronald Piuscinski, Arlene Potychnok, Nancy Potychnok, Frank Plizga, Bernard Richards, Ann Sarul, Marvin Schultz, Veronica Sendacki, Donald Senkowski, James Sharkey, Charles Shereda, Joanne Sieczkowski, Dolores Gagel, Marlene Skonieczny, Carol Sladicak, Marilyn Smolinski.

Gerald Socha, Marcia Socha, Mary Ann Sosnowski, Carol Sowa, Robert Sponkowski, Stanley Stampor, Marian Stefanka, David Steplitus, Barbara Stopera, Robert Sulczewski, Geraldine Sych.

Valerie Sygit, Delphine Szymanski, Virginia Thomas, Eugene Tomaszewski, Adreinne Trzeciak, Joan Trzeciak, Gerald Waldis, Carol Walerski, Roger Warda, Henrica Warminski, Antoinette Wdowiak.

Joann Winiarski, Patricia Wois, Ralph Wojt, Evelyn Wolff, Lucille Wroblewski, Barbara Wypycha, Frank Zacharias, Thomas Zapatoczny, Elaine Zelmansi, Robert Zrepsky,

1956

Juniors Run the Full Course

Our juniors are achievers, with true spark and spirit . . . With a brushfire flare, their know-how spreads into study, sports, and song. In their cavalcade of initiative, they seek and meet new challenges. Their efforts at scholarship always send a worthy number soaring to the front ranks. They broaden horizons of community life with the application of principles of government through Student Council duties in school and a day's visit to the State Capitol in Lansing, Michigan. On sandlot, grid, and court, brain and brawn of our Lads oft are caught in the spotlight glare. With the gay springtime air, Junior Choralier leads usher in ear-catching tunes and sprightly dances of the annual operetta. These self-sacrificing enthusiasts run full stream in the Mission magazine and stamp drives. Planning and producing, they sell Junior Achievement's products of tomorrow.

Come the close of another year, and time for the Junior-Senior Banquet. There's no hiding the regret and reluctance of the graduates as they bid farewell. Especially will they miss the camaraderie of our hosting juniors.

Audery Abrams, Lorraine Argasinski, Henrietta Baranowski, Jane Bieda, Joyce Bolt, Edwin Borucki, Rita Chalupniczak.
Thomas Churilla, Helen Condon, Rosalie Cwanek, Lorraine Darmofal, Geraldine Davin, Lottie Dec, Lorraine Domzalski.

Wanda Dumala, Barbara Dzon, Lorraine Fleczak, Patricia Fontair.
Frances Fritz, Thomas Gacke, Gerald Goretski, Helene Goryl.
Vera Graczyk, Barbara Gurdak, Delphine Halasa, Henry Hartfelder.
Lorraine Herec, Carolyn Hoza, Dolores Hromada, Lawrence Huber.

Junior Class Officers

President.....Gerald Shirilla
Vice-president.....Nancy Lorey
Treasurer.....Thomas Lendzion
Secretary.....Angeline Stuba

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Stanley Kwiatkowski, Theresa Lebryk, Alfred Legumina, Thomas Lendzion, Delphine Klopacz, Barbara Stuba, Frederick Magic, Constance Maladecki, Caroline Marcinek. Patricia Muczynski, Jean Niezabitowski, Donald Nowak, Joseph Ochab, Stella Olszewski, Janice Peterson, Edmunda Phillips, Joan Potemski, Joan Prusiewicz.
Frank Rodziewicz, Diane Rokuski, Chester Roman, Diane Romanowski, Robert Rachas, Helen Sibinski, Mary Ann Solnikowski, Elizabeth Spisz, Patricia Sponer.

Gerald Sulkay, Norma Szemyak, Marie Szewczyk.

Rudolph Taranski, Henry Traczynski, Marvin Warda.

Patricia Widzinski, Janet Wiencus, Lawrence Wilczynski.

Raymond Wlodknowski, Carl Wojtas, Joan Wojcik.

John Wojtowicz, Robert Wojcik, Sophie Wozniak.

Elizabeth Zachwieja, Maryann Zelmanski, Donald Ziolkowski.

1955

No double exposure is this, but rather a lighting up with a beaming smile by four sets of wins in the senior class. They include, seated, Robert and Betty Lisiak, Joan and Antoinette Gdula; standing, Jean and Joan Mandziuk, Lorraine and Joan Konarzewski.

Gerald Shirilla assists Father Eugene Kijek distribute diplomas to Robert Otrompke and Helen Obuchowski.

Seniors Reach the Journey's End

Our seniors are leaders in their own right . . . They mirror SLH traditions and activities. Their abilities and dignity grace every phase of student life.

Theirs is an interest with a future. Current community problems stir them to voice their opinions. In a rousing panel on the Junior Town Hall Meeting of the Air, the seniors discussed the transfer of industry in relation to the management's moral obligations. For a broader view of democratic government the senior class took a jaunting trip to the Nation's Capitol during the Spring vacation.

On the side of the footlights, Senior Choristers combined Thespian art with newly truly beautiful costumes. Thus, they emphasized the Nativity as the ground-root of Catholic Action. Talent's the ticket, together with the ability to feel the pulse of the student body, that the Scroll staff and the Torch editors used for gathering news and views.

These Ladislites are sportsminded, too. In regal splendor, Her Majesty the Queen, and her attending lovelies enhanced the Greyhound court. The L-Club boasts of the largest number of Senior lettermen in the history of the school. Also the graduation will dispense with the first four-year girls' corps of the Cheerleading Squad.

The seniors' top-flight performance, of course, is scholastic. Their achievement, symbolized by the gold tassel and cord worn in the silent file of the graduates' ranks, bespeaks the crowning triumph of their success.

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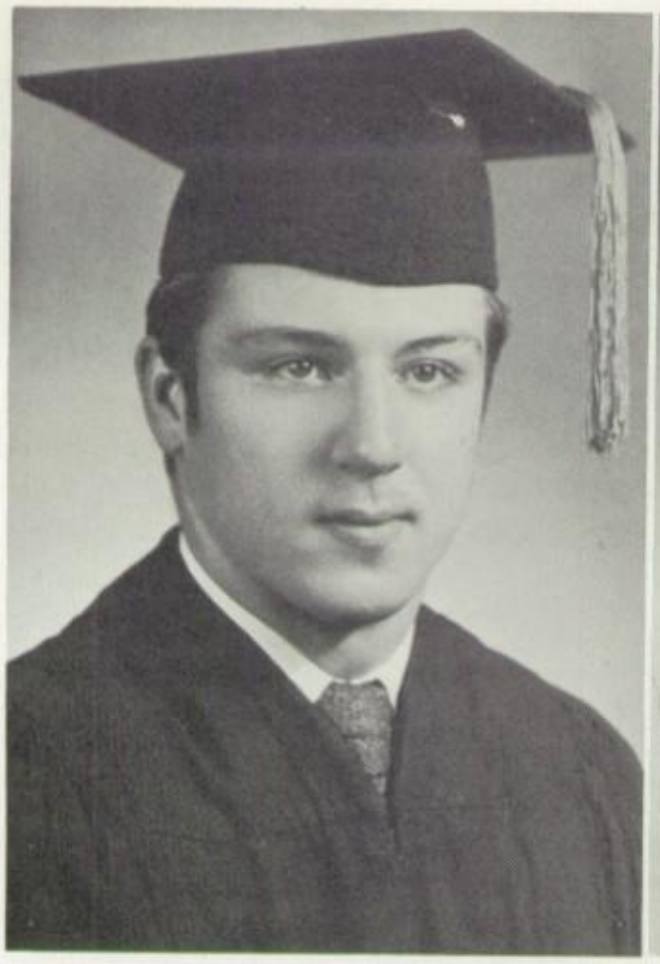

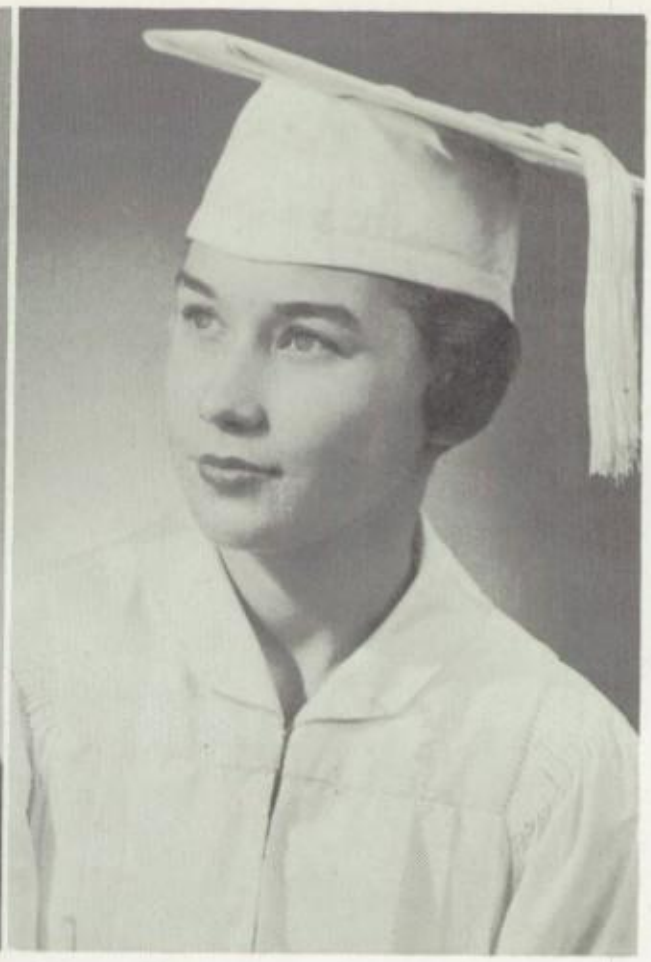

ZYGMUNT GRZANKA
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12038 Charest
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Secretary 2-4; Vice-President 3; C.S.M.C.
1-2-3-4; Scroll 4; Torch 4; Student Council
2-3-4; Student Government 4; Honor
Roll 1

Class of 1955

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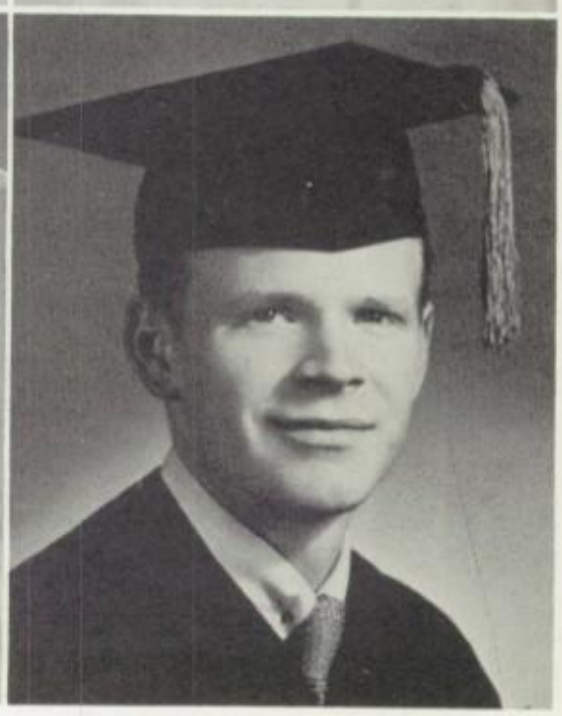
Glee Club 3; Junior Town Hall 4



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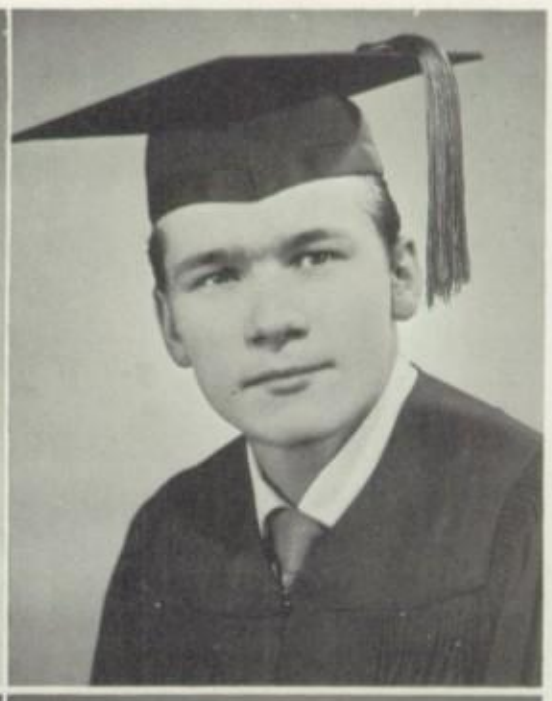

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TR 2-1154
C.S.M.C. 1-2-3-4; Football 1-2-3-4; All-City 4; Basketball 1-2-3-4; All-City 3-4; All-State 3; Baseball 1-3-4; L-Club 1-2-3-4.

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19226 Moenart
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BEVERLY DOMBROWSKI
Help of Christians
13136 Moran
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2729 Trowbridge
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Resurrection
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Vice-President 2; C.S.M.C. 1-2-3-4; Scroll 4; Student Council 2-3-4; Student Government 4; Fortune Teller 3; Chimes of Normandy 4; Glee Club 3-4; Honor Roll 1-2-3-4; Honor Society 3-4; Quill and Scroll 4; Perfect Attendance 1-3-4; Junior Town Hall 4

FLORENCE FIELEK
St. Augustine
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10208 Dequindre
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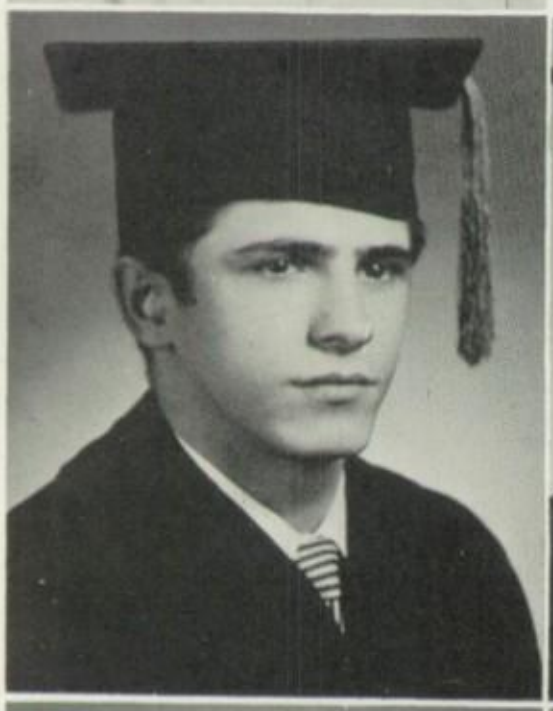

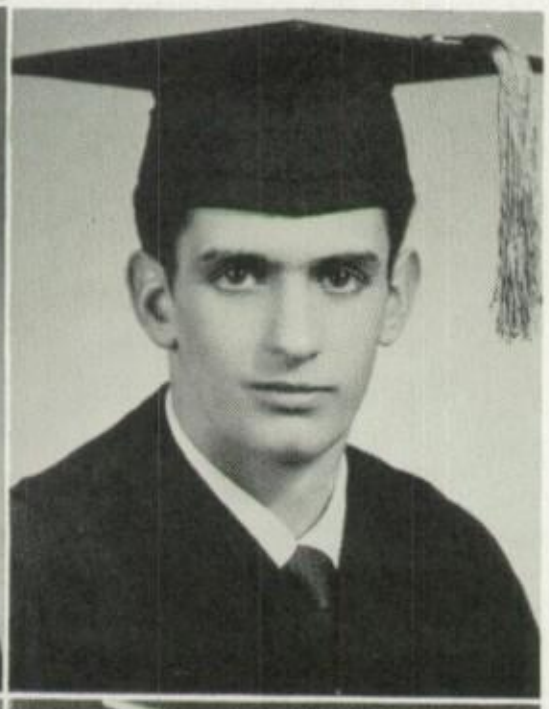

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C.S.M.C. 1-2-3-4; Football 2-4; Basketball 1-2-3-4; L-Club 1-2-3-4

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5163 Casmere
TW 2-7065
C.S.M.C. 3-4; Chimes of Normandy 4; Fortune Teller 3; Glee Club 2-4; Football 4; Basketball 3-4; Baseball 4; L-Club 4

GERTRUDE GORDON
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2620 Casmere
TO 5-0223
C.S.M.C. 2-3-4; Student Council 3-4; Scroll 4; Basketball 2-3-4; Baseball 2-3-4; L-Club 2-3-4

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5539 Talbot
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C.S.M.C. 1-2-3-4

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TO 7-5084
C.S.M.C. 4; Junior Achievement 4; Chimes of Normandy 4; Glee Club 4

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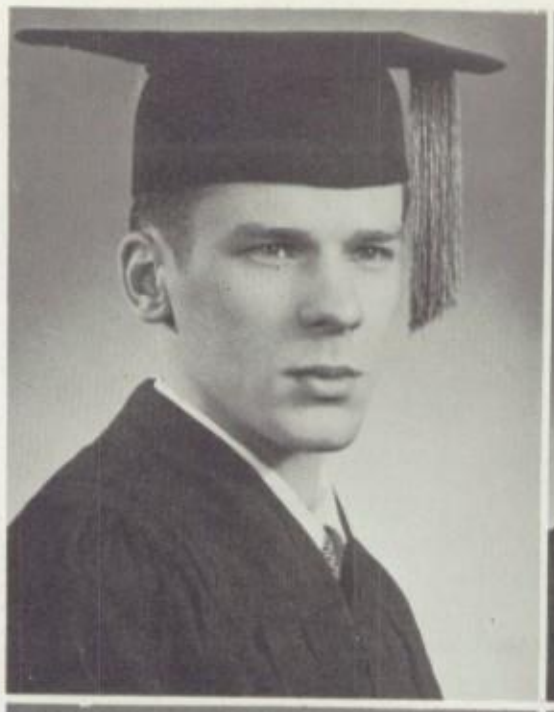

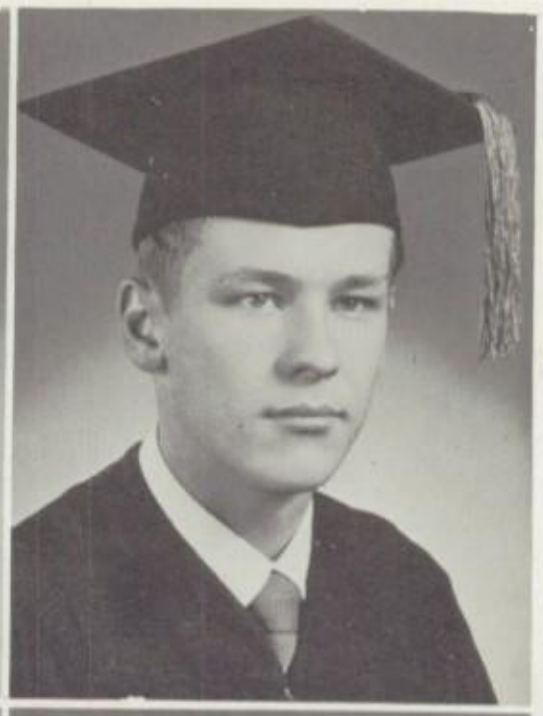

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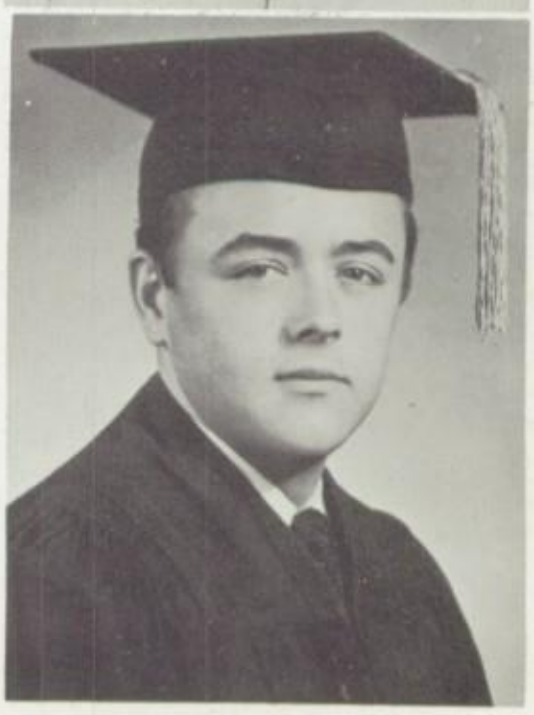

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TW 2-5350
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20165 Stotter
TW 2-3645
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TO 5-5506
C.S.M.C. 1-2-3-4; Torch 4; Honor Roll 1-2; Junior Achievement 3-4; Future Nurses Club 1-2-3-4

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6167 Huber
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19224 Moenart
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19400 Lumpkin
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12012 Sparling
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CONSTANCE MATUSZEWSKI
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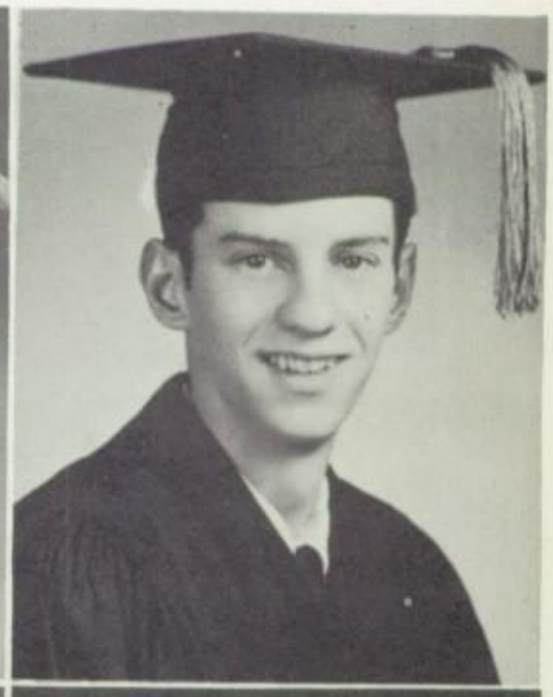

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11386 Mitchell
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C.S.M.C. 1-2-3-4; Scroll 4

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2651 Commor
TO 5-4155
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11414 Nagel
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2296 Denton
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C.S.M.C. 1-2-3-4; Football 4;
L-Club 4

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3317 Cody
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TR 3-7668
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18847 Gable
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17116 Veronica
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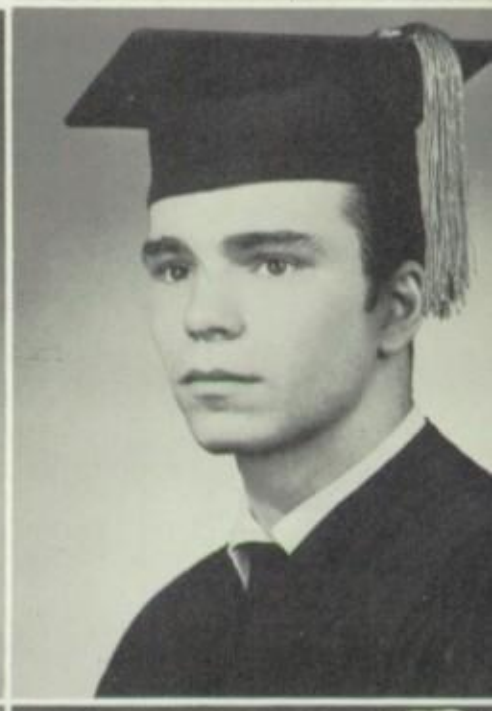

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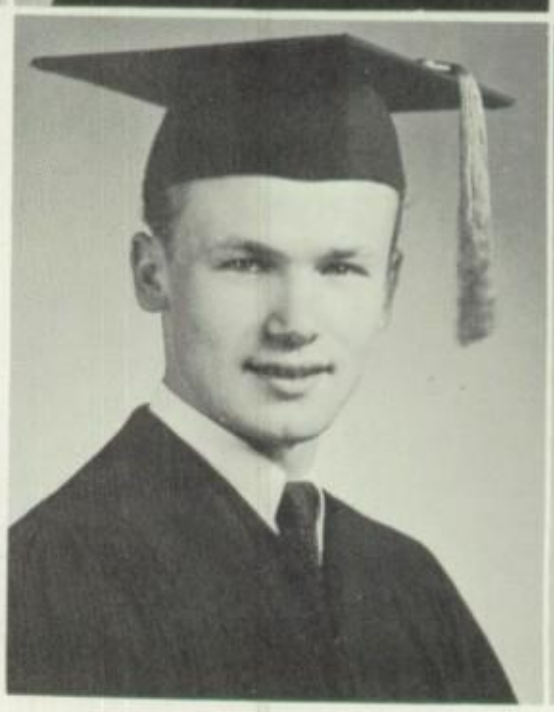

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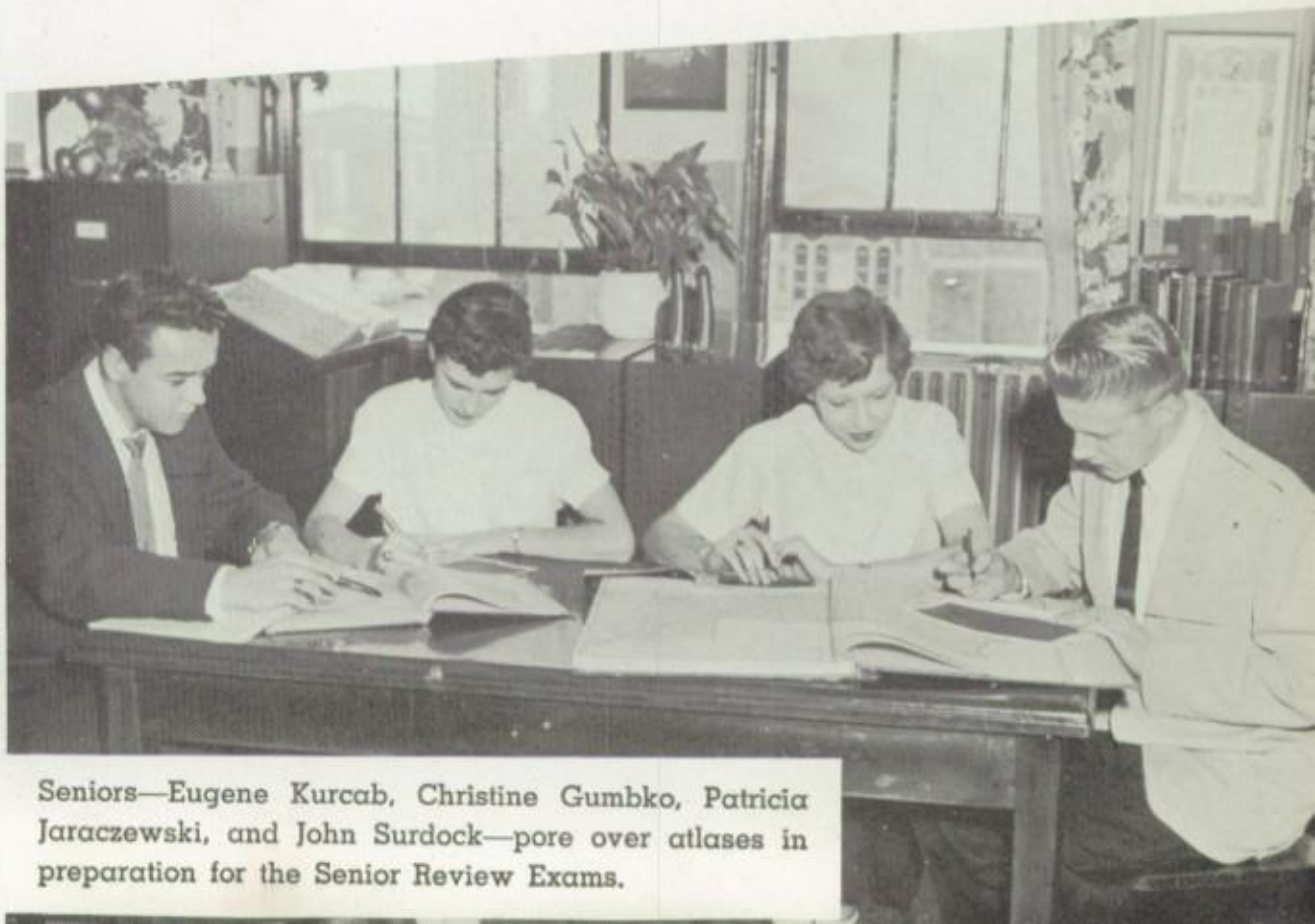

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We Follow the Paths

of Progress at SLH

Current affairs in a turbulent world are the focus of interest in Sister Mary Rufina's modern history class. Deeply engrossed in matters of the moment are, seated, Carol Sowa, Melvin Chrzanowski, Casimira Kosinski; standing, Lawrence Gajewski, Robert Gilewski, Don Senkowski, and Dorothy Loparec.

Amidst declensions and conjugations, Sister Jane Frances' Latin I students pause to reimburse their course with the cultural fare of Roman life. Freshmen particularly fascinated by its mythology are Marilyn Mikolajczyk, Connie Rakoczy, Christine Stachelek, Leonard Dziuk, Richard Kowal, and Dick Matkowski.

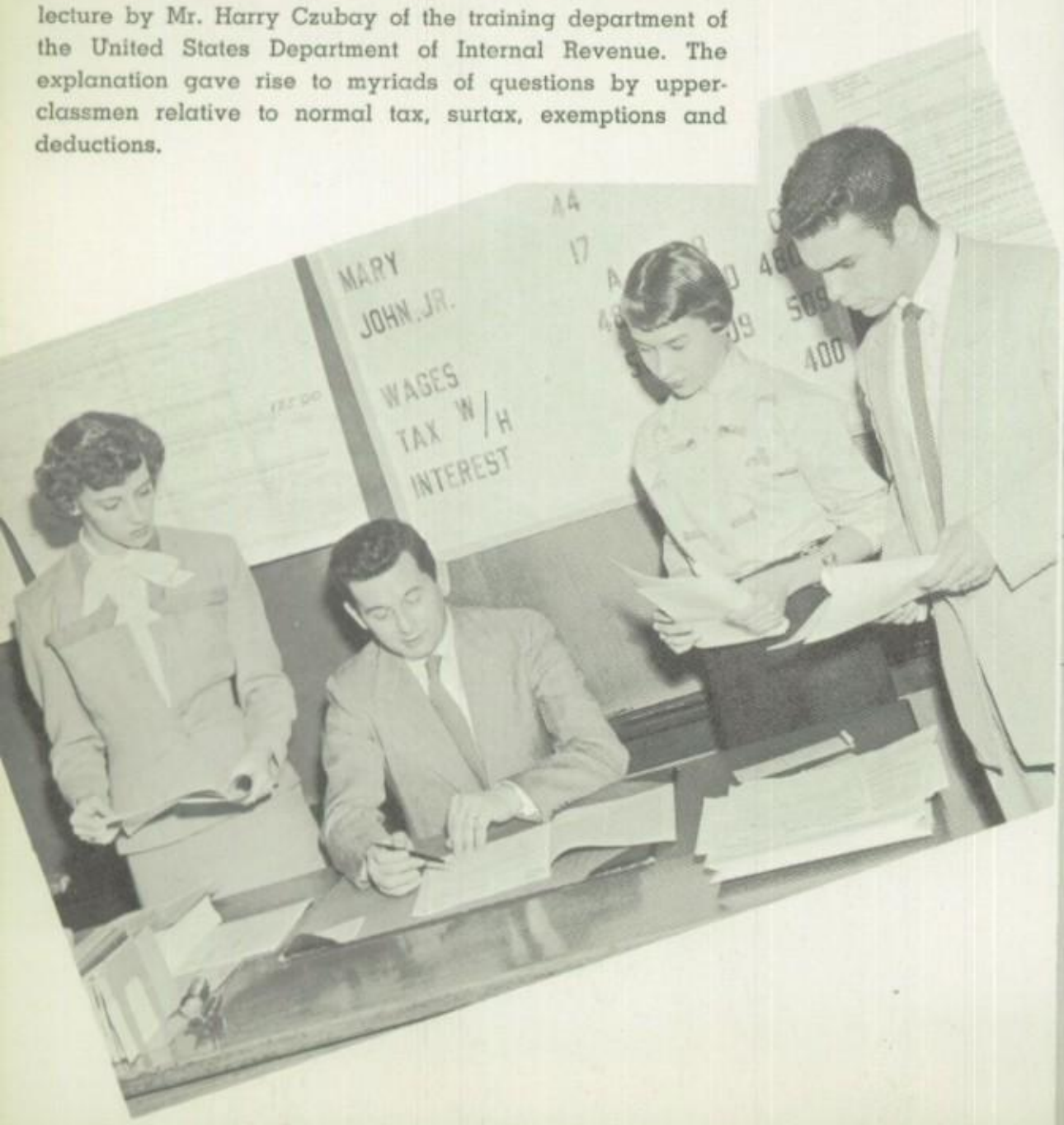
With teeming interest in the global significance of Catholic literature, to which young America also lays claim, English III students of Sister Mary Rose's class furthered their search to the taproot of the matter, Christ. Results: a vigorous panel on "The Divine Origin of Catholic Literature." Chairmaned by Marvin Warda, standing center, the juniors participating included, clockwise, Barbara Gurdak, Don Senkowski, Marvin Warda, Delphine Klopacz, Betty Kaminski, and Joyce Bolt. Rear: Lorraine Argasinski, Jane Bieda, John Wojtowicz, Stella Olszewski, Norbert Kendzierski, and Theresa Lebryk.

Amusement 'neath confusion prevails as Miss Geometers, Florence Fielek and Delphine Klopacz of Sister Mary Bede's Solid Geometry class gratifyingly dispel Thomas Gacki's consternation by graphically contrasting the position of a generatrix in prismatic and pyramidal surfaces.

Office practice arouses new enthusiasm in Deanna Belback, seated, when brought into close acquaintance with the latest office equipment. In the interveiw with Mrs. Elizabeth Bjarnesan of the Burroughs School of Business Machines. Deanna shares the secrets basic for the operation of a Burroughs billing machine with Carol Samoranski and Connie Kubiske.

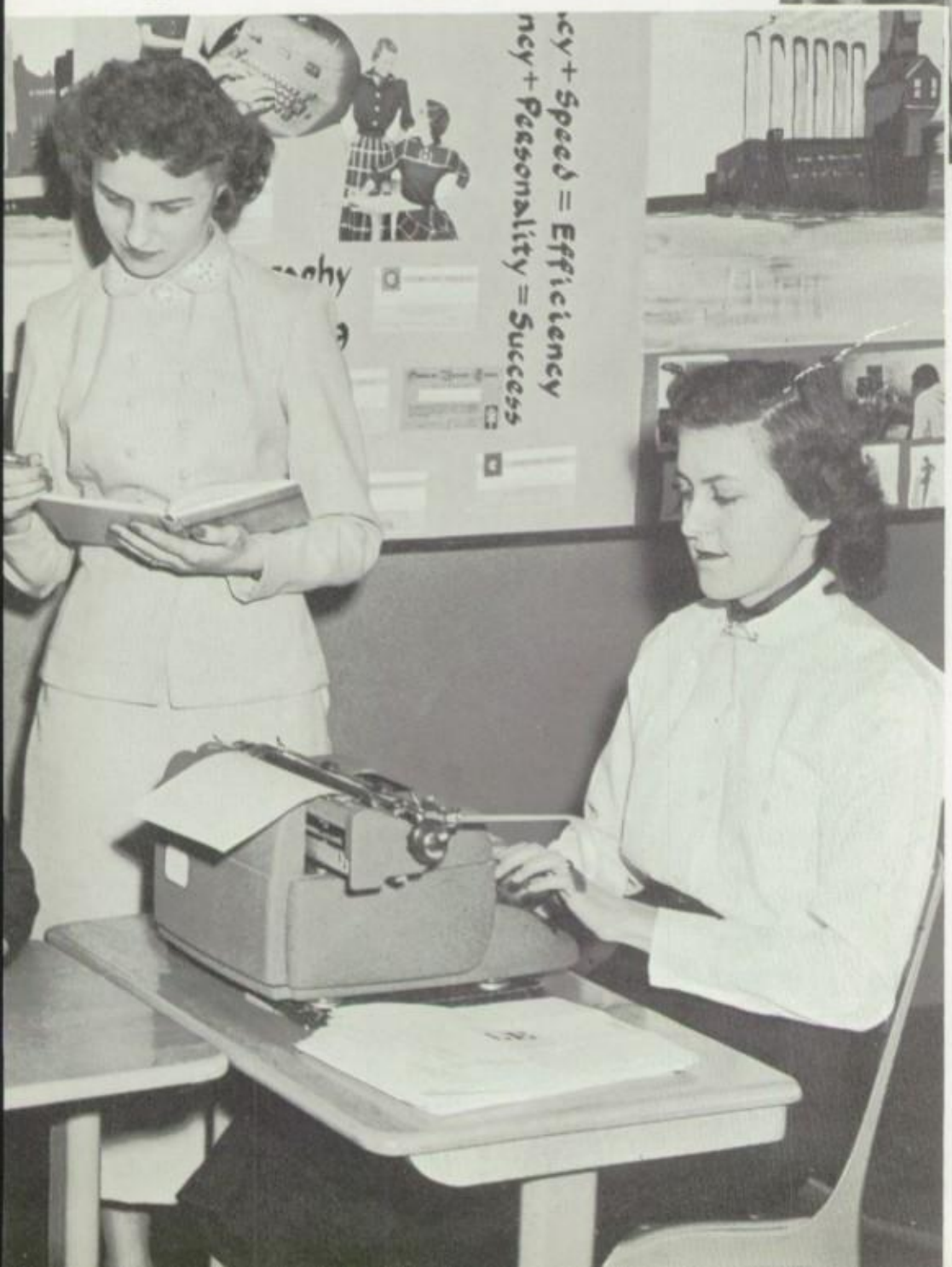
Weeks before the students' annual retreat, Sister Mary Jerome III period typing class prepares sheaves of notes for di tribution. Comely twin lassies Joan and Jean Mandziuk a assisted in the stapling of hymn and prayer booklets by Bet Pluto, Betty Lisiak, and Delphine Wisniewski.

Seniors Betty Lisiak, Barbara Rataj, and Thomas Schoenrock take a broader view of their personal income after a lecture by Mr. Harry Czubay of the training department of the United States Department of Internal Revenue. The explanation gave rise to myriads of questions by upperclassmen relative to normal tax, surtax, exemptions and deductions.



No fretting for the figure worker, learn Elaine Markowski and Irene Bartkowicz whom representative Miss E. Grein of the Burroughs Business Machines School introduces to the productive, almost effortless, latest type bookkeeping machine.

Emphasizing the need for stenographic skill, Beverly Dombrowski, center, with stopwatch in hand stimulates Jane Tylawski, standing, left, and Jean Janosky, seated, left, to attain the speeds of 120 and 140 wpm respectively. Rita Piszczek, transcribed her notes on the typewriter, strives diligently for "mailable" copy.



Joan and Jean Mandziuk derive identical ideas as to their future business careers after observing the competency of demonstrator Miss Elizabeth Grein in the operation of new standard office equipment.

We Trek

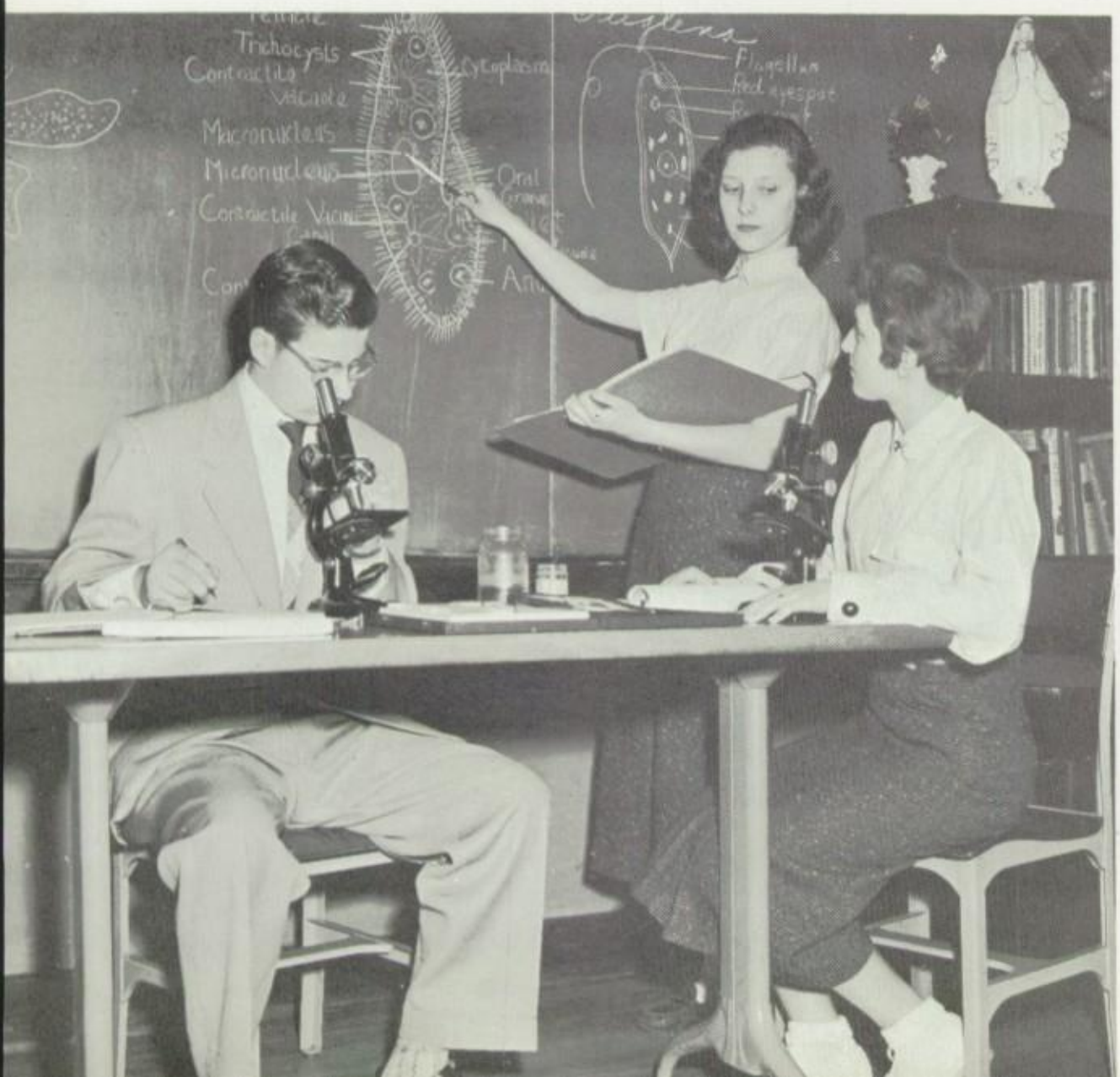
These freshmen six, ambitious writers seem,
Their entries finished, 'tis with joy they beam
E'en though Scholastic Awards they may not win,
This task to them delightful e'er has been.

Freshmen Scholastic Writing Award participants of Sister M. Anne's English I group are, left to right, Richard Marek, Alexandra Rutkowski, Eugene Szafran, Richard Sulkowski, Suzan Tomaszewski, and Barbara Bush.

With Jennie Wielusz, center, directing the experiment, Gerald Shirilla, left, checks the flame while Marvin Tuzinowski pours the hydrochloric acid. Rose Marie Wasung, extreme right, is set to collect a bottle of chlorine gas. Henry Hartfelder is pleased with his results in the chlorine water he made.

the Highway of Learning

High fidelity recording, sound waves, and synthetic rubber featured the "Previews of Progress." Spellbound by the demonstrator's explanation of sound waves are Zygmunt Grzanka, John Cech, and Steve Kopera.



The microscope world holds no end of allure for these youthful biologists of Sister M. Blandina's class. As Deanna Belback momentarily checks some organelle in the paramecium with Barbara Stuba, Marvin Warda is intrigued with his own scope.

General Motors stock — going up! Betty Lisiak and Carol Samoranski check the ticker tape as Stanley Kwiatkowski, Henry Traczynski, and John Wojtowicz — all of Sister Mary Germaine's economics class — compare the New York Stock Exchange Page with the tally board.

Supersonic speeds, the improvement of lift, and other power problems hold Sister Mary Jerome's physics class in rapt attention as Stanley Kwiatkowski operates a movie on the airplane. Viewing the picture are, first row, Stella Olszewski, Barbara Gurdak, Robert Postula; second row, Barbara Rataj, Nancy Biess, Thomas Kurzawa, Jean Sierpien; third row, Norbert Kendzierski, John Wojtowicz, and Caroline Bielski.

The lure of learning marks Sister Mary Florian's general science class, as Geraldine Kurcab and Elizabeth Traczynski exhibit, while connecting dry cells in parallel. Michael Szajkowski is set to hold the wires to a doorbell. A comparison of the resultant ringing was made with that produced when a series connection was made.

Challenging geometric situations are enthusiastically accepted by this winsome trio. Thomas Grubba, aided by Helen Kuranty, shows Loretta Osiecki that cases may occur in which the altitude of a triangle does not fall within the figure.

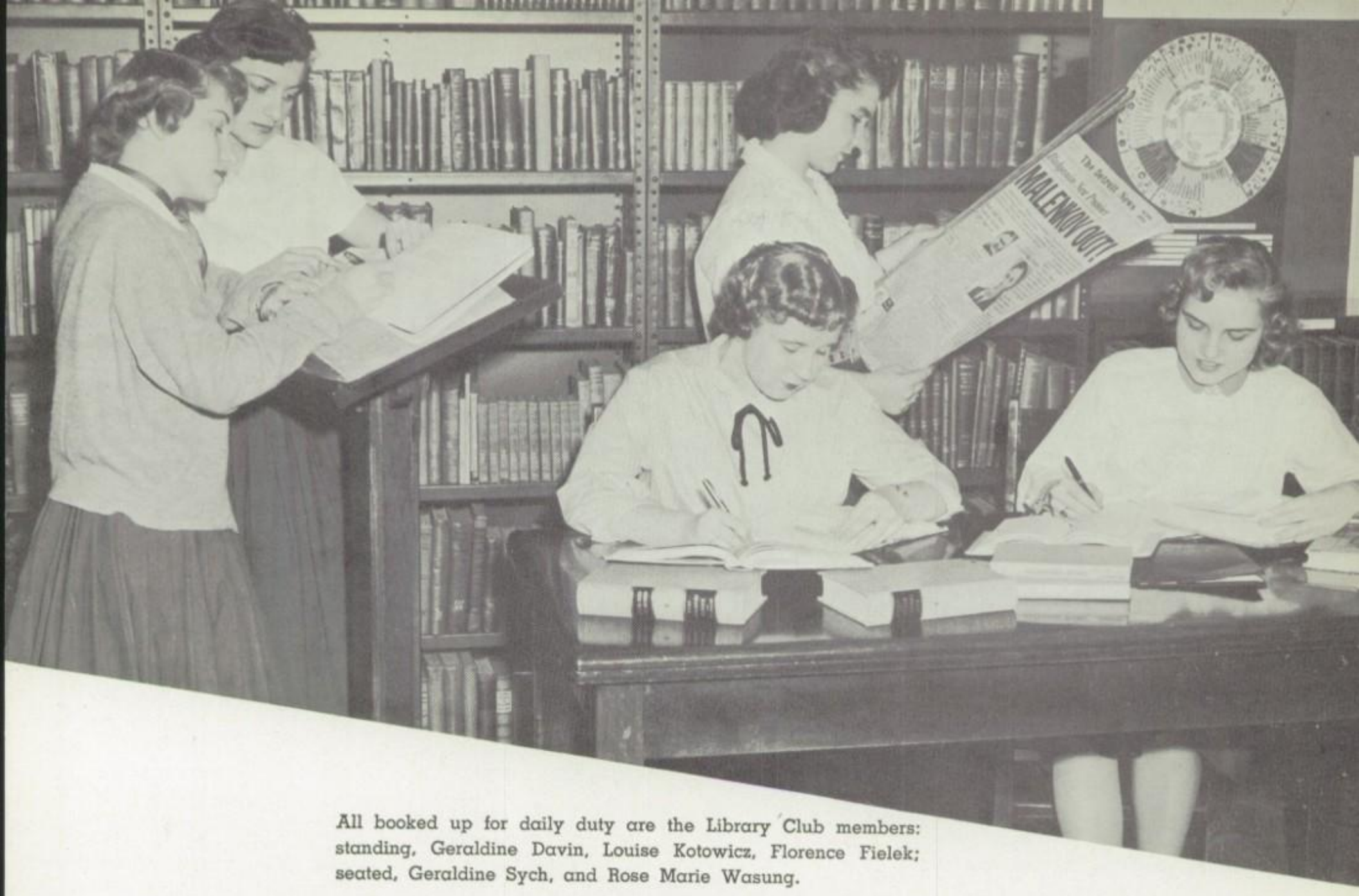
"EXTRA! EXTRA! READ ALL ABOUT IT!" was the beckoning call of the bulletin board in 7B. Sister Mary Juliana's sophomore English students posted their latest "news" projects after a thorough study of the Shakespearean drama, "Julius Caesar." Assisting with the mountings are Constance Gruszczynski, Edward Lizewski, Antoinette Wdowiak, and Paul Grubba.

Nancy Biess, Nancy Lorey, and Rita Chalupniczak issue ballots to Joyce Bolt. Mary Ann Zelmanski deposits hers while Donald Ziolkowski, Robert Wojcik, and Henry Traczynski mark their ballots on Election Day.

It all totals up to efficiency, accuracy, and economy for Evelyn Pierce and Connie Matuszewski during the demonstration of the new multi-purpose business model. Mrs. J. Warner of the Detroit School of Comptometry was guest representative.

Prospective progress and development of skill in the reading of shorthand fluently and easily is the goal of the Shorthand I class. Future secretaries front, Patricia Fontair and Pat Widzinski, rear, Theresa Lebryk and Joyce Bolt apply the test as Lorraine Felczak manipulates the flash "pointer."

Accomplishment lends satisfaction in Sister Mary Blanche's class. Characteristically, it may be traced on the faces of Archie Kudla, Sophie Wozniak, and Ray Czuczko while demonstrating their ability to apply the principles studied in bookkeeping — journalizing and posting, as well as the preparation of working papers and financial statements.



All booked up for daily duty are the Library Club members: standing, Geraldine Davin, Louise Kotowicz, Florence Fielek; seated, Geraldine Sych, and Rose Marie Wasung.

resident Theresa Kujawa, right, meets with Vice-President elphine Klopacz and Secretary Janet Wiencus to plan the ear's activities of the Future Nurses Club and how time nd talent will make their program most effective. Sister ary Blanche is moderator.

Sports editor Donald Warda and Joan Wegrzynowski view and review news of life at St. Ladislaus, as penned by them for the local weeklies, "The Citizen" and "The Michigan Catholic." For his reports of Lad's sports world, Don won the distinction of being named "MC Prep Reporter of the Week." Joan Wegrzynowski is associate editor of the Scroll.

Doing double duty on the annual, which is the end product of months and months of planning, are look-alikes Jean and Joan Mandziuk, art editors, flanked by Joan and Antoinette Gdula, class editors.

Editor-in-chief Donald Warda confers with associate ed tors Nancy Biess, Deanna Belback, and business manage Rose Marie Wasung as to the technical know-how yearbook publication. The theme under consideration b the '55 staff is **"THIS IS OUR LIFE."**

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According to the length and width of the subscribers' list, circulation manager John Cech assures assisting Bob Elgin that there need be no concern about reader loyalty. With their super-charging technique, advertising managers Marjorie Grinols and Connie Kubiske, right, help efficiency typists Jean Sierpien and Caroline Bielski, center, in the preparation of the mailing list.

Medalist ---- All American

The unique personality of a school paper is determined by the quality of its writers. Father Anthony Majewski's over-all expression confirms the fact that the highest rating — that of Medalist awarded to the Scroll by the Columbia Scholastic Press Association and All American by the National Scholastic Press Association is the capsule test of the editors' mastery at mingled skills. Scroll bosses meeting with Father Majewski are Editor-in-Chief Sylvia Engel, associate editor Joan Wegrzynowski, managing editor Nancy Biess, flanked by sports scribes Leonard Lubanski and Don Warda. Sister Thomas a Kempis is the publication advisor.

Sylvia Engel

Editor-in-Chief

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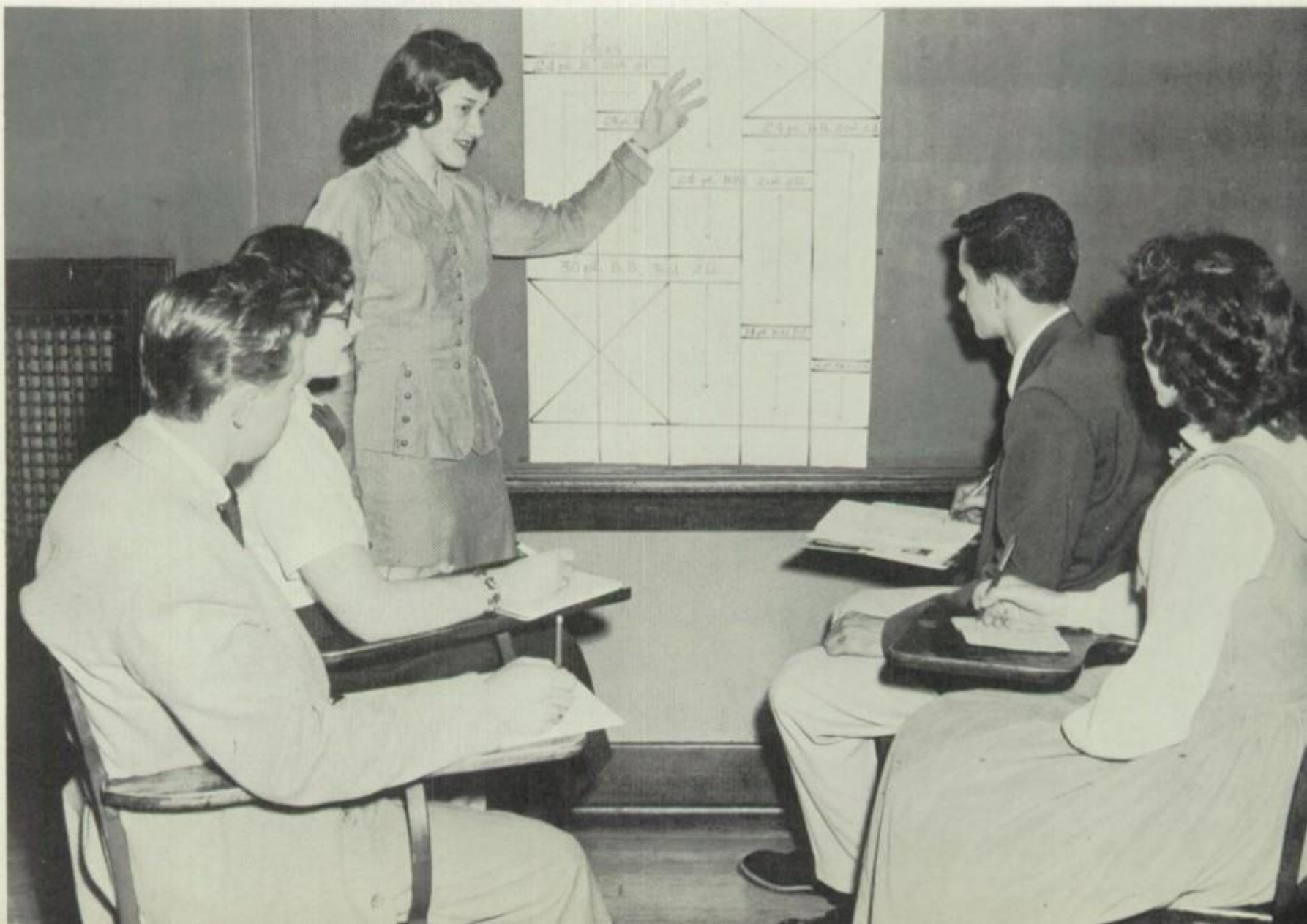
Spectacular pitching and hitting performances by mound master hurler Leonard "Butch" Lubanski, left and southpaw Len Grabowski, right, also of the Scroll staff, sports reporting into a writer's dream. Top sports scribe Don Warda, center, has been hitting the headlines in the Scroll, as well as in the Citizen and the Michigan Catholic weeklies with accounts of Lubanski's rubber-stretching arm crediting him with twelve consecutive hitless innings, Grabowski's .652 batting average, and their perfect days at the plate. After the victory over St. Ambrose, Don muses at the repeated Greyhound championship record. Lubanski hurled a no-hit, no-run game — the diamondeer's perfect gift to his parents on their nineteenth wedding anniversary.

Confronted with problems of time and space, Sylvia Engel as editor-in-chief, impresses the new Scroll staff as to what a demanding job it is to give every story fair play and representation. Ronald Szpont, Madeleine Richards, Bernard Glappa, and Shirley Pokladek deliberate a layout for page one of the initial issue.



Scroll editors and reporters assemble to study the coverage before taking up story assignments from the faculty, students, activity groups, and from the log of future events. After compiling the facts and assembling them in news style, staff members, left to right, Frank Kowalczyk, Sharon Aleccia, Jean Janosky, Betty Lisiak, Nancy Biess, and Marjorie Grinols turn them in to associate editor, Joan Wegrzynowski, center, in preparation for copyreading and headlining.

Facets of ideas are garnered from exchange copies of far and wide. Before each staff meeting, Connie Kubiske, seated, jots notes of appraisal of the various publications, as made by Helen Obuchowski and Florence Fielek.

Up and Doing

Industry leads the way for the youth of Junior Achievement. In behalf of the Jiffy Jot Company, of which she is secretary, Joan Lalka presents a plaque to President John P. Mansfield in recognition of the Plymouth Corporation's service and interest in the teeners' business organization for the past six years.

Junior achievers ready goods for the mid-year market. Members of United Products, after labeling and packaging the safety control extension cords, place them on sale at the home of their sponsor, the Rotary Club. Promoting the distribution are Stanley Kwiatkowski, treasurer and winner of a J.A. executive award; sales manager Frank Rodziewicz; Elaine Winowiecki, assistant sales manager Norbert Kendzierski, J.A. organization news reporter. Irene Bartkowicz, secretary, and Henry Hartfelder, guest representative.

Steve Gromek, Tiger pitcher and alumnus presents Helen Obuchowski and R. Kopek with $25 checks at Station WJLB as Mr. Walter Gajewski, Hamtramck City Clerk looks on. The cash was a prize for winning essays on "Why I Am Proud of My Ancestry" sponsored by the Readers' Digest.

In merriment and melody, the Glee Club officers express happy returns of the elections. Atuning their blissful mood to "The Lonely Wanderer" are, seated, Joan Wegrzynowski, secretary-treasurer; Vice-President Thomas Schoenrock, and prexy Nancy Biess, with Betty Pluto, attired in the club's sweater and symbol, at the piano. Moderator of the choristers' group is Sister Mary Bede.

The Hamtramck Holidays bristled with cheer as St. Lad's Choraliers took to the bandwagon a week before Christmas, their voices echoing far and wide in carol and song in the shopping area. While shoppers trudged and nudged in search for something new and something different for the Yuletide Season, program announcer Gerald Shirilla, left, with the choristers' group, reminded them that the true observance was in finding Christ. Local merchant, sponsoring the community endeavor, was Mr. Conrad Sikora, foreground, of the Conrad Sikora Jewelry Store. In the background, the girls' section, soaring in high note of the festive spirit includes Helen Kuranty, Frances Fritz, Joan Kozlowski, Geraldine Milewski, Joan Garczewski, Edmunda Phillips, and Lucille Tomaszewski.

Christmas shoppers along Campau were unmindful of the brisk wintry winds and the crunching snow while the mellow flow of carols sung by the Glee Club alleviated the rush. Huddled around the microphone with Sister Mary Bede is a volunteer group of girl choristers: front row, Sharon Aleccia, Theresa Kujawa, Marjorie Grinols, Carol Samoranski, Connie Kubiske, and Susan Tomaszewski. Rear row, Theodora Rusenko, Elaine Jenick, Joan Prusiewicz, Nancy Lorey, Patricia Jaraczewski, Diane Romanowski, Sandra Slaskey, Betty Pluto, and Nancy Biess.

With hearts and flowers, the Greyhound cheerleaders hail the new car of tomorrow in the Dodge City. Sitting on edge amidst the impressive display of the '55 models are Deanna Belback, Connie Matuszewski, Geraldine Davin, and Louise Kotowicz. Making way for the sprightly foursome and their junior-senior delegation are Robert Postula, Henry Shiner, and Tom Chiesa, at the wheel.

Hamtramck—Dodge City

Enlisting the support of teenagers in the Hamtramck project, the local merchants found numerous Ladislites. Among underclassmen responding to the invitation are, left to right, Stanley Kwiatkowski, Lawrence Hubert, Bernard Richards, Frank Plizga, Edward Tomaszewski, Frank Zacharias, Alfred Kowalewski, Donald Senkowski, Edward Kubit, Edward Pazdziora, Raymond Wlodkowski, Judith Gorczyca, Sandra Bann. Finding accommodating room with Fred Magic, driver, are Ronald Szpont and Henry Hartfelder.

Dodge Festival Week

To promote better human relations in our community, "For a Better Hamtramck Week," November 16-20, was observed by social functions, poster campaigns, and shopping tours. SLH boosters, led by Myron Wawrzysz, Eugene Kurcab, Leonard Kolodziejczyk, and John Pazderski, participated in the parade along Joseph Campau which featured the event.

Grid co-captain John Cech, extreme right, and his Varsity Greyhounds flaunt in full fashion the scarlet and gray in their Hamtramck Festival float as it wends its way to the local Dodge plant. Quarterback Carl Kotowicz, in front, disabled by an injury, and Joseph Nowak, '53, give last minute instructions to driver William Godleski as to their goal.

WJR Junior Town Hall Meeting of the Air

RESOLVED THAT Management Has Moral Obligations to the Community Affected by the Transfer of Industry.

Seniors voiced opinions in a panel on the WJR Junior Town Hall Meeting of the Air. Introduced by the moderator, Mr. James Garrett, center, the speakers discussed the moral obligations of management to the community affected by the transfer of industry. Affirmatives in the radio panel were Daniel Holman and Richard Majerowicz; negatives, Shirley Pokladek and Nancy Biess, extreme right. Arrangements for the radio program were made by Mr. Dave Olson and Mr. Edward A. Skendzel of the Parochial School Office. The Reverend Eugene Kijek gave the address of welcome.

WJR's engineer Mr. John Begin manipulates the controls during the broadcast as Donald Obrycki, Conrad Kruszewski, and Thomas Schoenrock observe.

Are popular songs detrimental to youth? (Seated) Shirley Podladek, Theodora Rusenko, Marjorie Grinols, Richard Majerowicz. (Standing) Elaine Winowiecki, Panelist Nancy Biess, and Robert Elgin search for the answer that will aid Nancy on an interschool panel for a WJR broadcast.

You're On The Air! Dennis O'Connor of St. May's High, Redford, co-panelist pauses in his speech while Nancy Biess, Parochial School Co-ordinator, Mr. Edward Skendzel, and WJR's Dave Olson await their cue.

Questions Are In Order! Elaine Winowiecki asks a question as Mr. Dave Olson, WJR's Travelling "Mike Master" picks it up and students from Mercy, St. Ladislaus, St. Anthony, and St. Mary listen in.

CHIMES OF NORMANDY

Comic Opera
by
Robert Planquette

CAST

Serpolette, Village Mischief-Maker.....Lucille Tomaszewski
Germaine, Gaspard's Ward.....Geraldine Milewski
Four Village Girls:
Gertrude.....Marjorie Grinols
Jeanne.....Patricia Widzinski
Manette.....Connie Kubiske
Suzanne.....Theodora Rusenko
Henri de Courtville.....Thomas Schoenrock
Grenicheux.....Gerald Shirilla
Bailli.....Thomas Kurzawa
Gaspard.....Norbert Kendzierski
Notary.....Marvin Warda
Registrar.....Robert Rachas
Assessor.....Gerald Socha
Chateau Artistes.....Myron Wawrzysz, Patricia Jaraczewski

Ah! the music! the dance! just the thing for me.

Dost thou understand, my Germaine,
Why floats that chime now o'er the dells?
Gladness in that voice rings again, . . .
For 'tis a sound love, of marriage bells!

Just look at that, just look at this!
Don't you think we're not amiss?
A glance give there, a glance give here,
Tell us if you think us dear.

Let our lanterns light up the night,
This false legend we'll put to flight
All these ghosts and goblins will be
Nothing but stories false we'll wee.

Now gentlemen, compose your loo
with proper solemnity. Admit the s
vants, and let us hear what th
have to say.

Ne'er did we Such a rascal see
At justice mocking, In manner shocking!

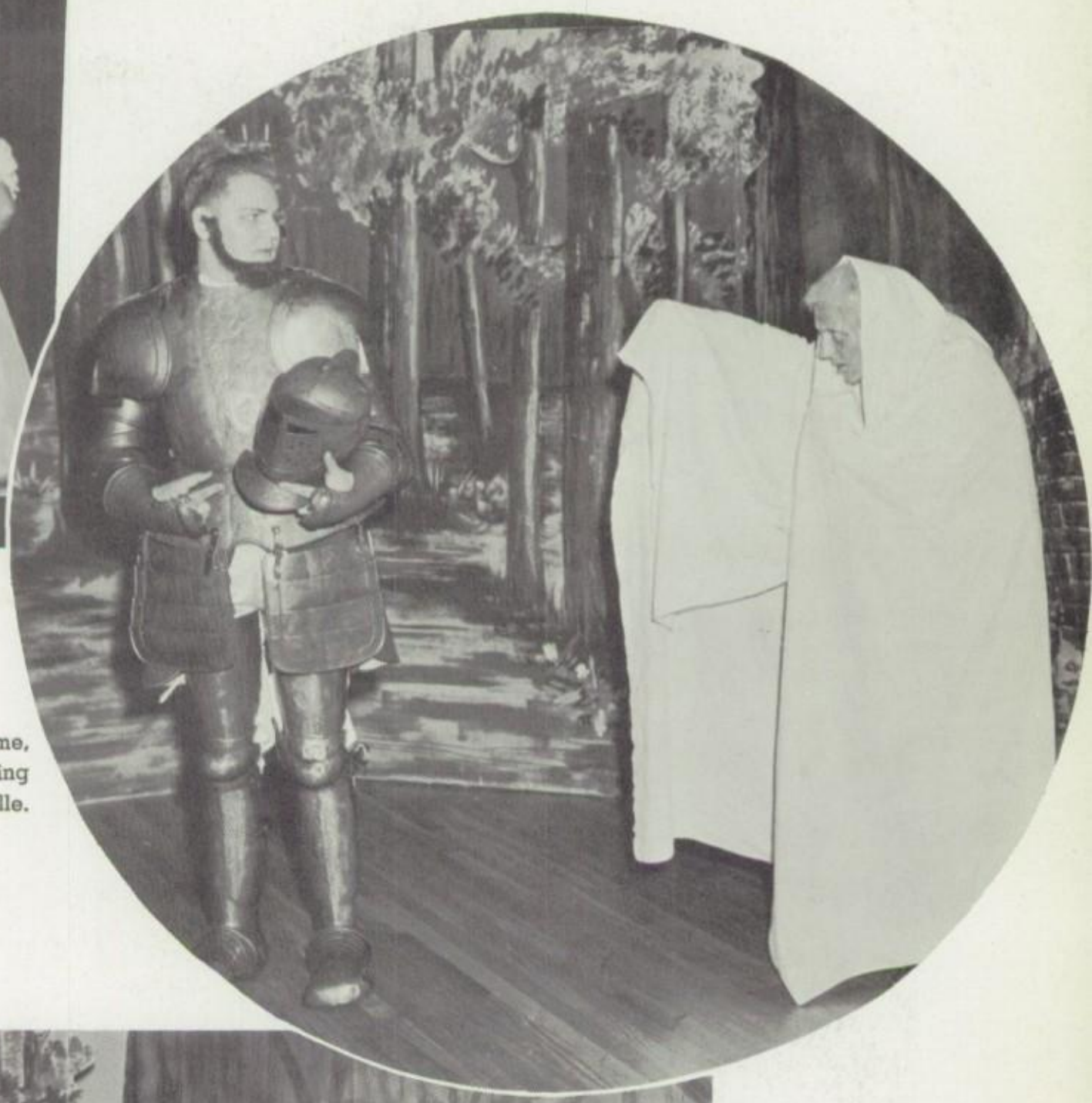
At a countess you are gaping
So let nothing you be 'scaping.

Ah, everybody thinks that old Gaspard is crazy, but he knows better. He knows all about the haunted chateau and its secrets.

"Oh this is fun! Just see him run!"
(The lassies cried, with rapture jigging.)

Back, monster inhuman! Germaine is my bondwoman. To the master doth the maid belong. Whatever may betide!

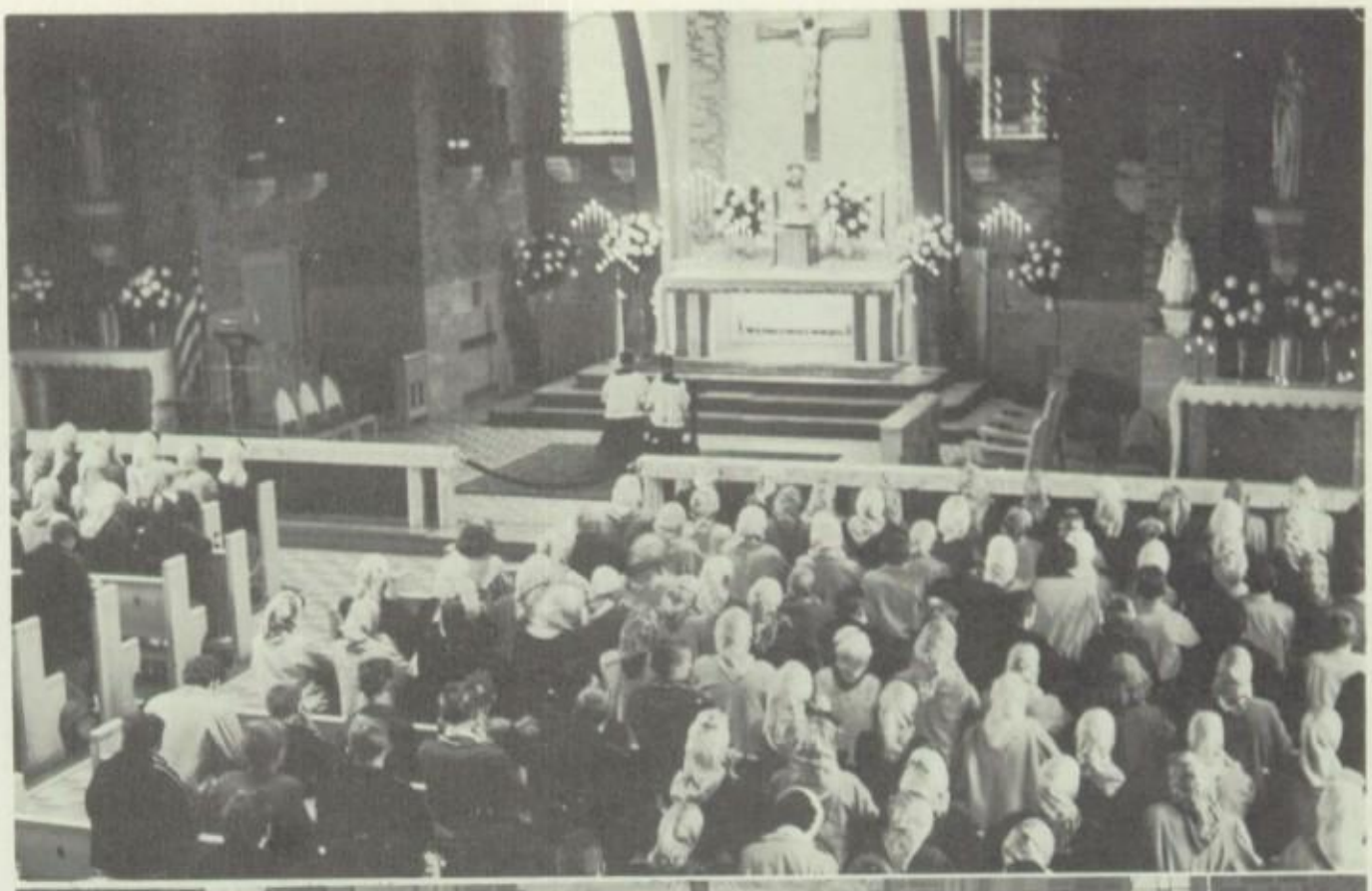
Well, to satisfy your curiosity, pretty maidens, permit me to introduce myself as one from the other world.



There now, if any country bumpkin sees me, he will believe that the devils are holding high carnival in the chateau of Courtville.

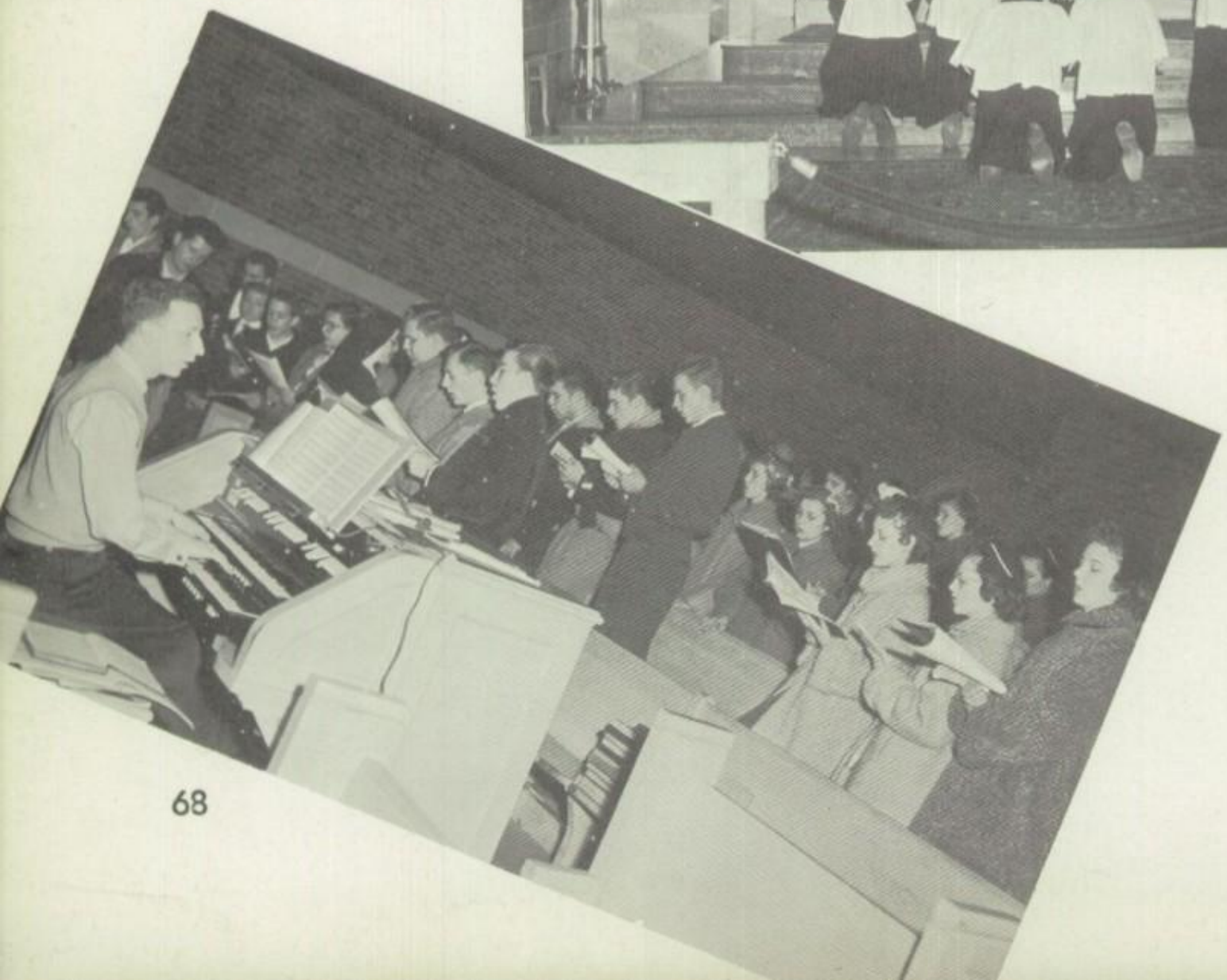
Who are drivers lacking? Such a chance don't lose! Come along and choose!

To map out his plan of life as he restores forces in his withdrawal and consolidates gains already made is the aim of a retreat for every Ladislite. Hence previous moments or a Holy Hour with his Master are put to full advantage in search of these spiritual values.



A troupe of acolytes turned Catholic Action volunteers to hold vigil at the altar. Organized by the Reverend Eugene Kijek, they render service at special church functions and at High Mass on Sundays and Holydays. Assisting at the student retreat Mass celebrated by Father Dustin, C.S.S.R., are left to right, Marvin Warda, Donald Nowak, Gerald Shirilla, Edward Lizewski, Walter Gozdor, Richard Marek.

Prayer and praise with song is the SLH Choraliers' motive of Catholic Action as members uplift the minds and hearts of the student body during solemn services. Sister Mary Bede rehearses with the choristers' group for Forty Hours' Devotion. Choirmaster Richard Horning is at the organ.



A decided interest with a future was the hopeful, heart-warming quality which stimulated the Ladislites' three days of recollection February 2, 3, and 4. The Reverend Joseph Dustin, CSSR, was retreat director.

We Muse and Meditate

at the Crossroads

The Church is the perfect society with the noblest of purposes — the sanctifying of its members for the glory of God, points out Pope Pius XII, in his encyclical letter "On the Mystical Body of Christ." In devout fulfillment, at 8:00 o'clock each morning Ladislites join in immolations at the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass.

Commanding leaders of Catholic Students' Mission Crusade study ways and means of supporting the Church's worldwide missions. Vice-president Norbert Kendzierski, left, and Treasurer Richard Gurdak propose the sacrifice of the spirit as the best. President Lucille Tomaszewski and Secretary Bernadine Dudek suggest the almoner's way, with each one giving what he can. Sister Jane Frances is moderator of the Mission Unit.

'Twas a big-hearted idea that prompted the Student Council to gift SLH with Our Lady of Grace statue to be used for Marian devotions. Bob Postula and Barbara Rataj, standing, were first to welcome Mary in the students' midst. Betty Kaminski and Thomas Kurzawa, foreground, were attracted by the radiance of the crystal eyes.

Student Council

Thanksgiving is a time of gratitude. Bestirred by Catholic Action, zealous Ladislites shared what they have with others. In response to the appeal of the Bishops' Clothing Collection, the Student Council undertook to package and label the overwhelming contribution of this year. Preparing the weighted cartons for shipment are Carl Kotowicz, Henry Hartfelder, Donald Warda, Lorraine Domzalski, Henry Traczynski, Barbara Rataj, and Stanley Kwiatkowski.

Senior Class President John Cech, right, indicates that congratulations are in order as he felicitates the representative cross-section of the student-governing body. The newly elected Student Council officers are: Lorraine Domazalski, secretary; Robert Postula, sergeant-at-arms; Donald Warda, president; Robert Elgin, treasurer; and Sylvia Engel, vice-president.

The '55 Junior Torch Drive returns far exceeded the quota at SL Hi. Student Council Vice-president Sylvia Engel proudly displays the certificate of commendation to the Junior United Foundations group: Ray Czuczko, Tom Kurzawa, Shirley Pokladek, Sylvia Engel, Chester Roman, Marvin Warda, and Betty Pluto.

Washington, D.C.

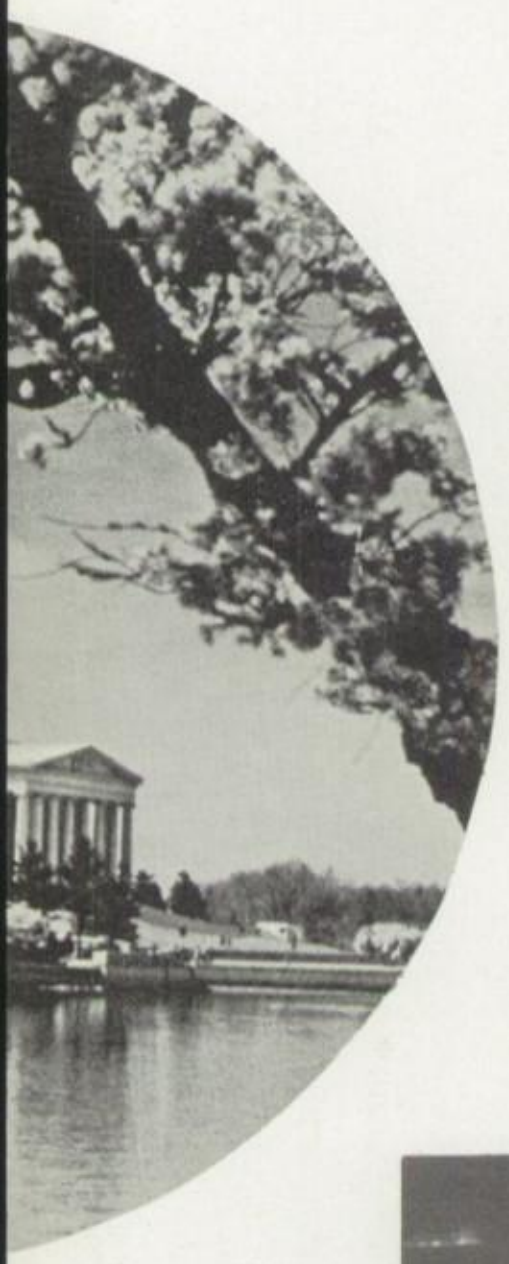
The meeting did not come to order when the junior lasses with Sister M. Germaine, their American history teacher, took the Speaker's chair in the State House, but the experience was thrilling while it lasted.

Robert Postula and Theodora Rusenko cast a last moment glance at the schedule of outbound train.

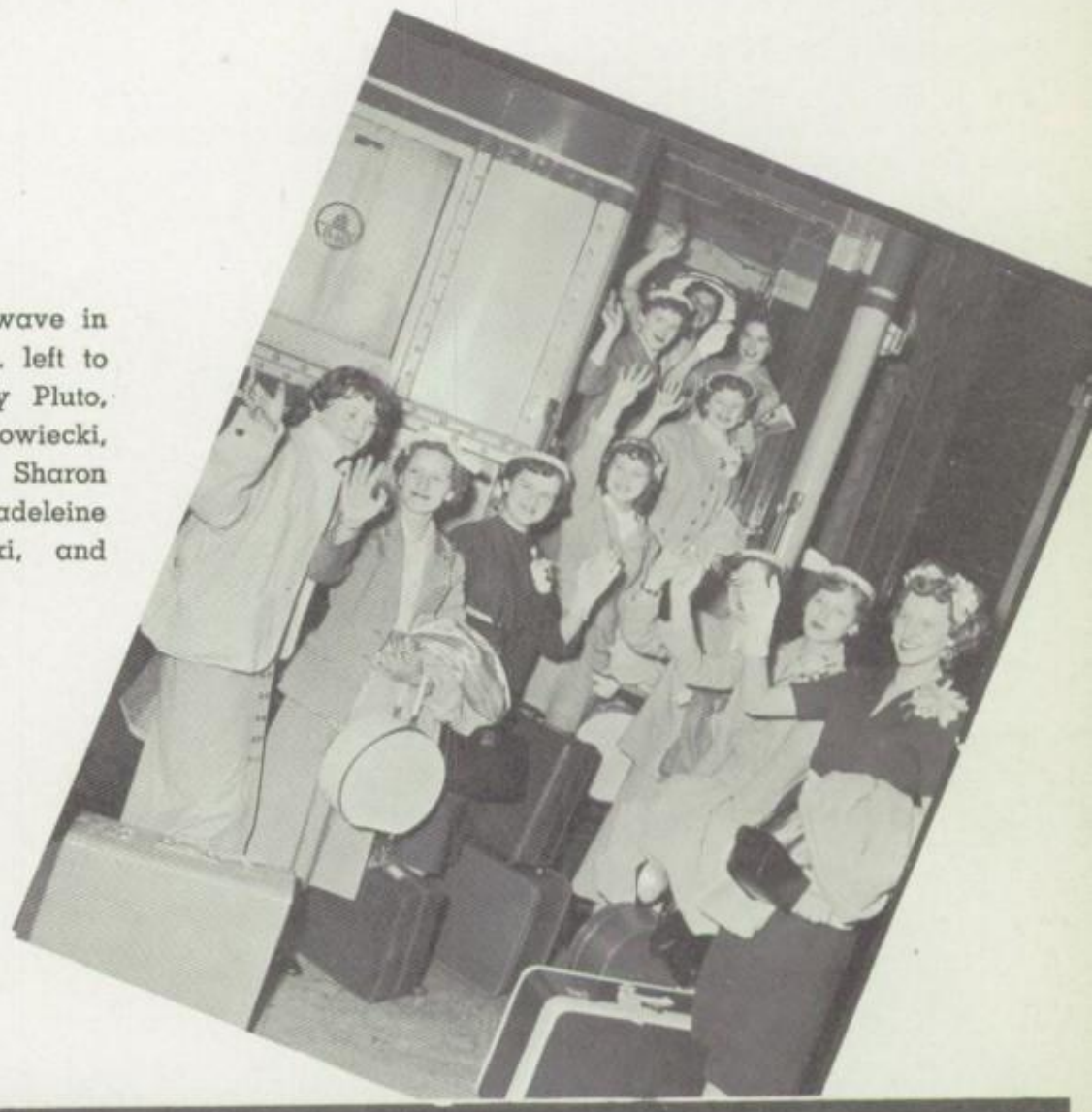
Easter vacation duly begins for John Cech, Rose Marie Wasung, and Elaine Winowiecki as they pass the gate to board the train for their eastern trip.

Lansing

The junior class accompanied by Sister M. Juliana examined the Senate chamber during a tour of the Capitol at Lansing.



Fifteen and more fair lassies wave in fond farewell before departure. left to right, Christine Mularski, Betty Pluto, Theodora Rusenko, Elaine Winowiecki, Jean Sierpien, Beverly Dufort, Sharon Aleccia, Caroline Bielski, Madeleine Richards, Patricia Jaraczewski, and Betty Lisiak.



ccompanied by the Reverend Francis Dolot and Sisters M. Rufina and orian, left, twelve carefree senior lads nd twice as many lasses anticipate eir first-hand view of the city whose emories every American deeply cher- hes — Washington, D.C.

Student Mayor Sylvia Engel discusses the business of the day on the intercom with her secretary, Barbara Rataj. Meanwhile, members of the Junior Council, left to right, Don Warda, Shirley Pokladek, Joan Wegrzynowski, Nancy Biess, and John Cech approve of the rest of the program with City Assessor Betty Pluto and City Clerk Deanna Belback.

Civil Defense Officer Mitchell Cieslak gives Elaine Winowiec a verbal demonstration of the demands and dangers of th duties of CD workers in the event of an atomic bomb attac

Hamtramck—Our City

Student secretary to the Mayor, Barbara Rataj, left, checks photos and copy with student Mayor, Sylvia Engel, prior to the release to the press.

Leonard Palys studies the blueprints and plans of City Engineer Ignatius Kopkowski as the duo survey the possibilities of future projects.

Hamtramck city officials and students who graced the table at luncheon at the Calvert Catering Hall are: Shirley Pokladek and President Julia Rooks of the Common Council; City Treasurer Walter Bielski and daughter, Carol; Deanna Belback and City Clerk Walter Gajewski.

Mayor Albert J. Zak presents the key to the city of Hamtramck to Student Mayor Sylvia Engel as officials and students look on. Seated clockwise are Mr. Stephen Wrobel, Joan Wegrzynowski, Mr. Henry Kozak, Nancy Biess, Deanna Belback, Mr. Walter Gajewski, Donald Warda, John Cech, Mrs. Julia Rooks, Shirley Pokladek; standing, Mr. Walter Bielski, Caroline Bielski, Mr. John Wojtylo, and Mr. Frank Matulewicz.

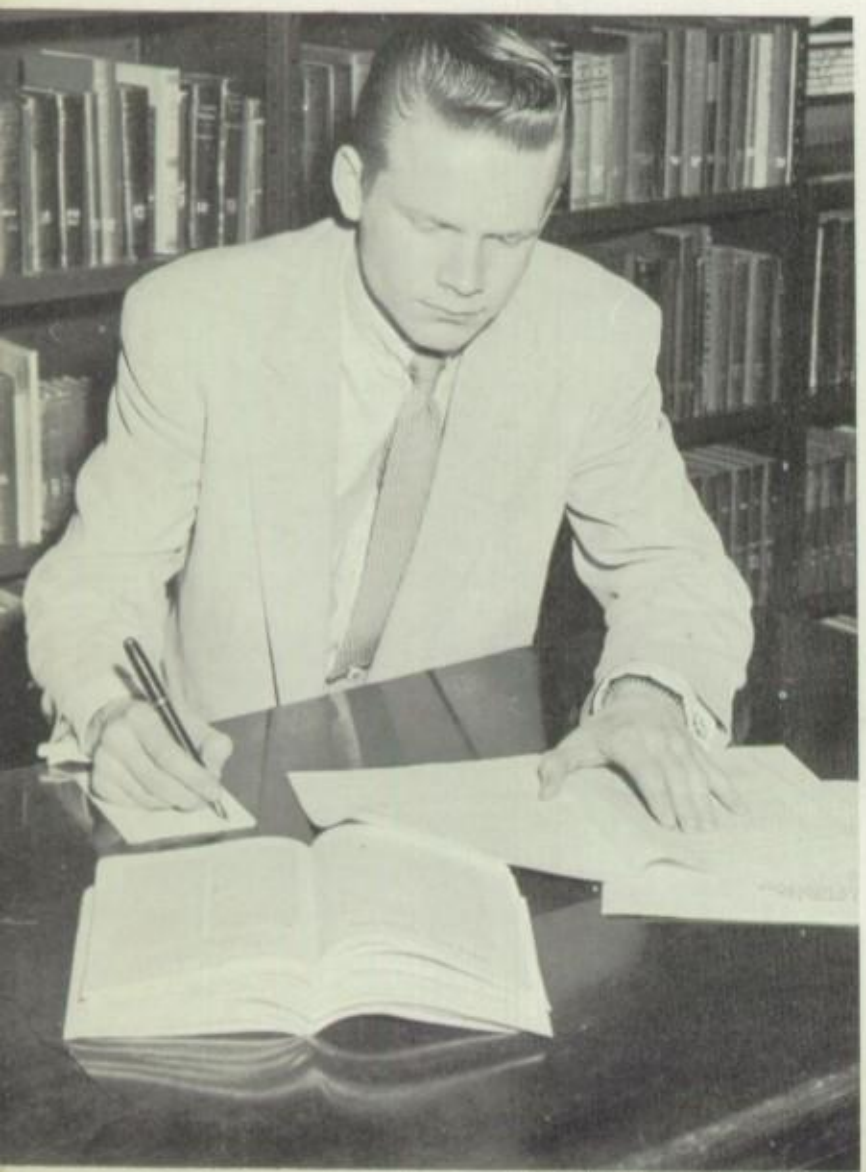
Shirley Pokladek gets a few pointers about the agenda for the evening Council Meeting from the President of the

Climbing Higher

Top people are needed, top people are found — so learn Carl Kotowicz and Len Lubanski of the Rotary Club which through civic enterprise discovers and encourages youth to uphold the ideal of personal, business, and community service.

Junior Wolverine State Representatives
LORRAINE DOMZALSKI
GERALD SHIRILLA

Safety of both pedestrian and driver was the basis of library research for Wallace Bielicki, who represented SLH at the second Annual Michigan Teen-age Driver Safety Conference at Michigan State College, East Lansing.



Winning homemaker of tomorrow, Jane Tylawski receives the awards for her entry — a gold pin and a cook book — from the Reverend Eugene Kijek. As winner of the Betty Crocker Contest, Jane was entered for competition to name Michigan's candidate for the coveted All-American title.

"in all our days no wiser person than we . . ." sing in mel, symphonious refrain our '55 senior standouts, Donald Warda, Joan Wegrzynowski, Sylvia Engel, Nancy Biess, Lucille Tomaszewski, Deanna Belback and Shirley Pokladek. They pulled out all the stops in maintaining top positions on the honor roll throughout their high school days. With their leadership, big things were afoot. Without highpressuring, their participation in school activities made student government more effective and co-curricular activities, more wholehearted.

Knowing their way around best of all were seniors Donald Warda and Joan Wegrzynowski. Their sobering responsibility at St. Lad's has been recognized by two organizations which promote service and advancement. Each senior received the annual award, a gold watch, presented by the Kiwanis International and the Rotary Club for scholastic achievement and leadership. Rocking chair days even will not dim the beauty and remembrance of this honorable occasion.

Every girl has her moments — one of Lorraine Domzalski's being the selection of her as a representative to Wolverine Girls' State. Accompanying personable Lorraine will be another all-around junior, Gerald Shirilla, who will attend Wolverine Boys' State. The student trip, with expenses fully paid, is but another of the many offers made by the Kiwanis Club and the Veterans of Foreign Wars, Women's Auxiliary.

Salutatorian
Joan Wegrzynowski

Valedictorian
Donald Warda

St. Ladislaus luminaries examine their honor point certificates which, indicating their potential in scholastic achievement and leadership qualify them for membership in the National Honor Society. Displaying the fact that scholarship is a big thing in their school lives are: seated, Rose Marie Wasung, Deanna Belback, Sylvia Engel; standing, Madeleine Richards, Relphine Wisniewski, Shirley Pokladek, Nancy Biess, and Lucille Tomaszewski.

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We Spin in a Social Whirl

Cheerleaders

A milestone in the cheerleading is the boast of varsity Co-captain Nancy Biess and Lorraine Konarzewski, center, who are the only senior girls in the history of the school who have served four years on the squad. The others of long-time service are seniors Deanna Belback and Connie Matuszewski, rear; juniors Louise Kotowicz and Geraldine Davin.

Topflight tumblers and twirlers of the Junior Varsity cheerleading squad are: front row, Harriet Matuszewski, Dolores Bartkowicz, and Dolores Felkowski; center, Casimir Kuwik, Sandra Slaskey, Barbara Sledzinski, Joan Mienaltowski, and John Kreger.

Muddy grid fields, dusty mounds, and slippery courts — all resound to the sizzling spirit of the Greyhound cheerleaders as they warm up for a game. The round of them includes, left to right, Harriet Matuszewski, Marlene Tarnow, Gerald Dachnowski, Geraldine Davin, Louise Kotowicz, Tony Wojcikowski, Connie Matuszewski, Deanna Belback, Casimir Kuwik, Nancy Biess, Dolores Felkowski, and John Kreger.

FRONT ROW—Thomas Condon, John Cech, Ted Gish, Robert Rachas, Donald Gleneski, Robert Elgin, Steve Prisby.
STANDING—Tom Schroenrock, Marvin Tuzinowski, Carl Kotowicz, Ed Kukorowski, Zygmunt Grzanka, Edwin Borucki.

We Bound Along the Sports Trail

Reverend Francis J. Dolot
Athletic Director

Coach—Edward Kukorowski

Coach—Bob Samaras

The Greyhound grid team, co-captained by John Cech and Zig Grzanka, was a powerhouse in the parochial prep circle. However high were the hopes of reaching the top of championship hill, they were effaced early in the season because of injuries to key players, as well as bad breaks. Though manned by ground gaining mainstays Ziggie Grzanka, All City Tom Condon, Carl Kotowicz, and Marv Tuzinowski, the team was able to average only one TD a game. See-sawing from a 3 straight loss to a 3 straight win, it bounced back to a 2 game loss, ending a final 3-4 record. Fullback Flash Grzanka gained 519 yards rushing and 110 passing for a remarkable 629-yard total.

In the opening game at Keyworth Stadium, the high-spirited Greyhound club bowed to St. Joseph's, '54 East Side title winner, 25-6.

A strong St. Anthony's Teuton eleven overpowered the Scarlet and Gray ground-plugging gridders, 27-6.

Before a homecoming crowd of 3000, Kukorowski's boys battled on even terms before succumbing to the St. Ambrose Cavaliers, 12-6. Tom Condon's lone TD was insufficient to bring the home team to triumph.

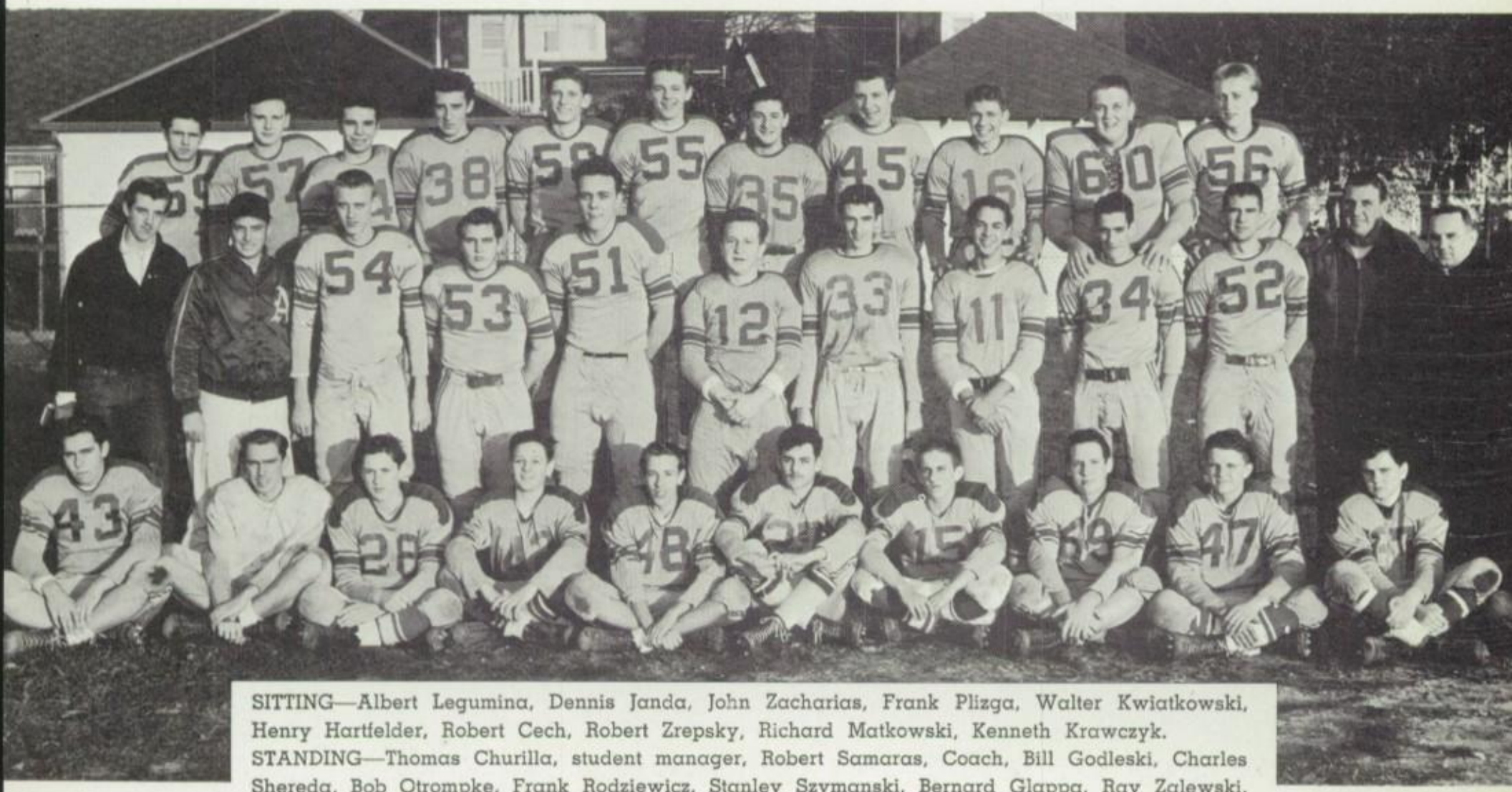
With spirits lifted high, the Greyhounds slid to victory, 6-0, on a rain-soaked field. Recovering a fumble, Hamtramck All City Carl Kotowicz ran 57 to pay dirt, tallying the only TD in the quagmire win.

St. Lad's ran rampant in the Bronco brigade. Stampeding their St. Stanislaus arch-rival, 46-0, the Greyhounds captured the Jaworski trophy. Ziggie sparked the game, running 72 yards, gaining 24 yards on pass plays, and scoring two touchdowns.

Co-captain Ziggie Grzanka's 54-yard run, and Eddie Borucki's TD in the final minutes of play, SLH upset the Servite Panthers at Mack Park, 19-13.

Our Lads gave way to a strong De La Salle contingent in the Dad's Day game. Score, 38-6.

In the final non-league game of the season, the Caniff eleven was held scoreless by its crosstown rivals of Hamtramck High. Score, 36-0.



SITTING—Albert Legumina, Dennis Janda, John Zacharias, Frank Plizga, Walter Kwiatkowski, Henry Hartfelder, Robert Cech, Robert Zrepsky, Richard Matkowski, Kenneth Krawczyk.
STANDING—Thomas Churilla, student manager, Robert Samaras, Coach, Bill Godleski, Charles Shereda, Bob Otrompke, Frank Rodziewicz, Stanley Szymanski, Bernard Glappa, Ray Zalewski, Ed Kukorowski, Coach, Rev. Francis Dolot, Athletic Director.
STANDING—second row: Ted Gish, Donald Gleneski, Thomas Schoenrock, Marvin Tuzinowski, Robert Rachas, Steve Prisby, Edwin Borucki, Zygmunt Grzanka, co-captain, Carl Kotowicz, John Cech, co-captain, Robert Elgin.

TOM CONDON
Right End

GREYHOUND GRID FORCE FADES

Grid Score Card

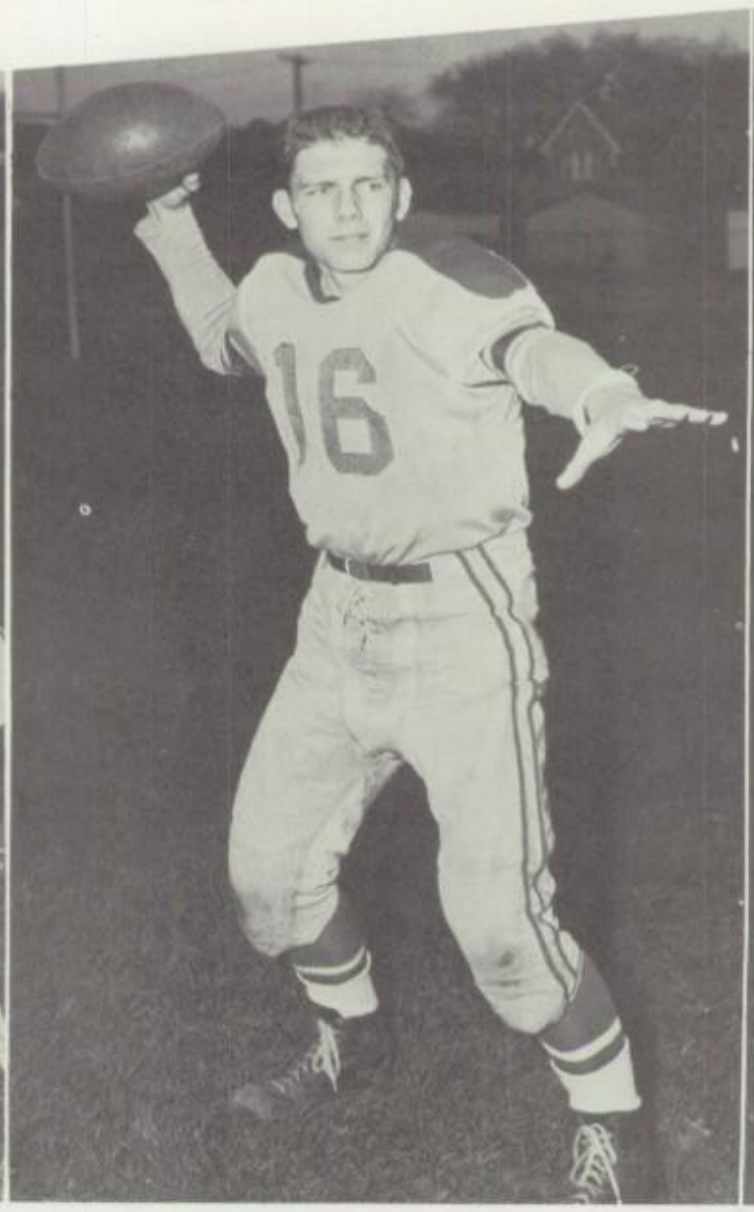
WE	OPPONENT	THEY
6	St. Joseph	25
7	St. Anthony	27
6	St. Ambrose	12
6	St. Catherine	0
46	St. Stanislaus	0
19	Servite	13
6	De La Salle	38
*0	Hamtramck	36

* Non-league game

Dads' Day

The Greyhounds feted gridders' fathers at the Dad's Day game against De La Salle at Keyworth Stadium. Front row: John Kotowicz, Edward Borucki, Stanley Kwiatkowski, Sr., Earl Gish, John Plizga, John Godlewski, Joseph Shereda, Back row: John Cech, Sr., Thomas Condon, Sr., Bernard Schoenrock, Zygmunt Grzanka, Sr., Stanley Rachas, George Zalewski, and Steve Prisby, Sr.

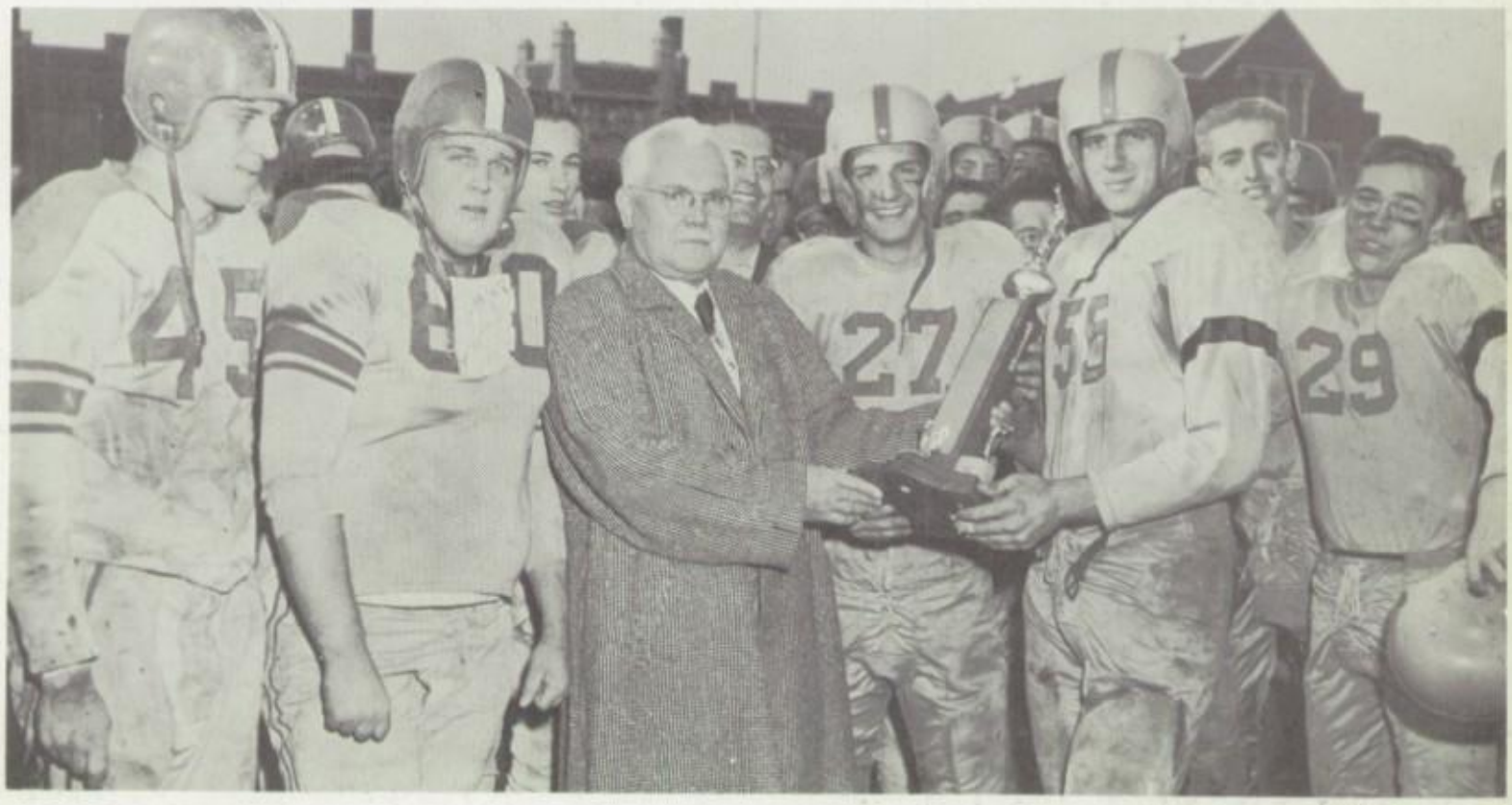
ROBERT ELGIN
Left Tackle

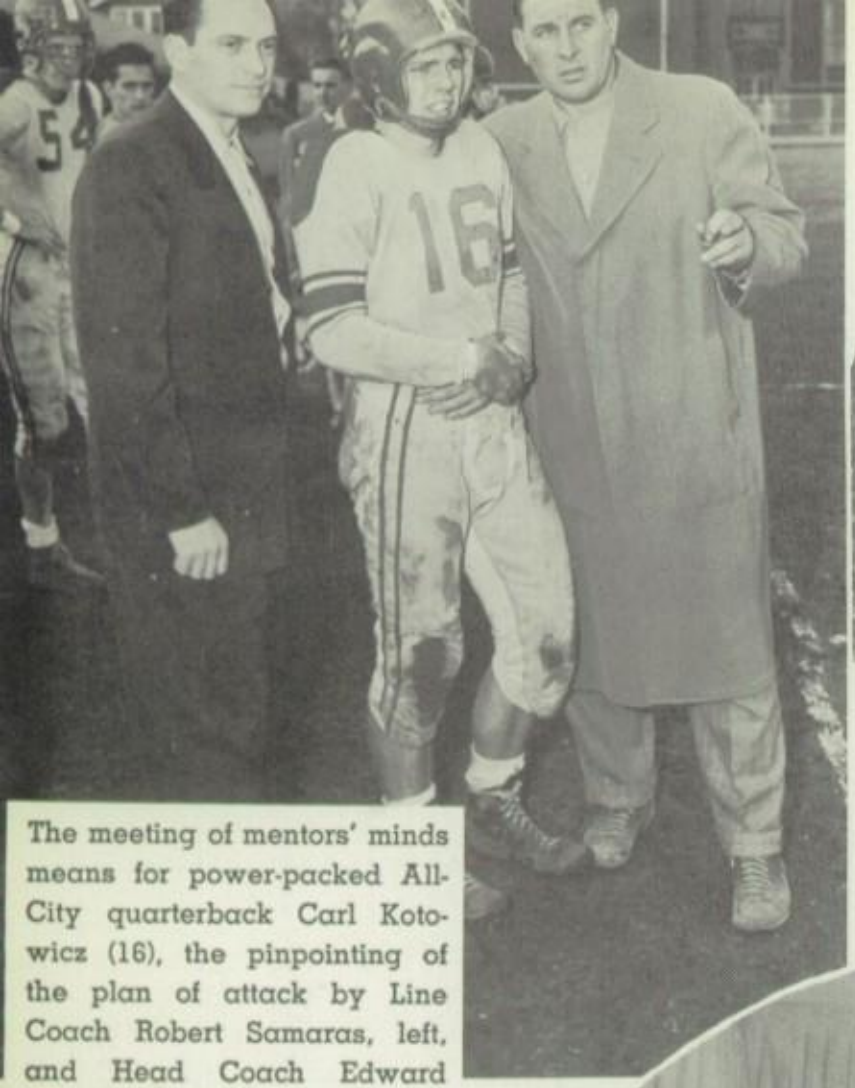


CARL KOTOWICZ
Quarterback

ZYGMUNT GRZANKA Co-Captain
Fullback

Gridders' faces register mixed emotions as local businessman, Mr. Edmund Tyszka, center, presents the trophy to the opponents at the Dad's Day game for the last time. Beginning with the 1955 football campaign, De La Salle will enter the Central Division. Representing SLH at the occasion are co-captains Zig Grzanka and John Cech.

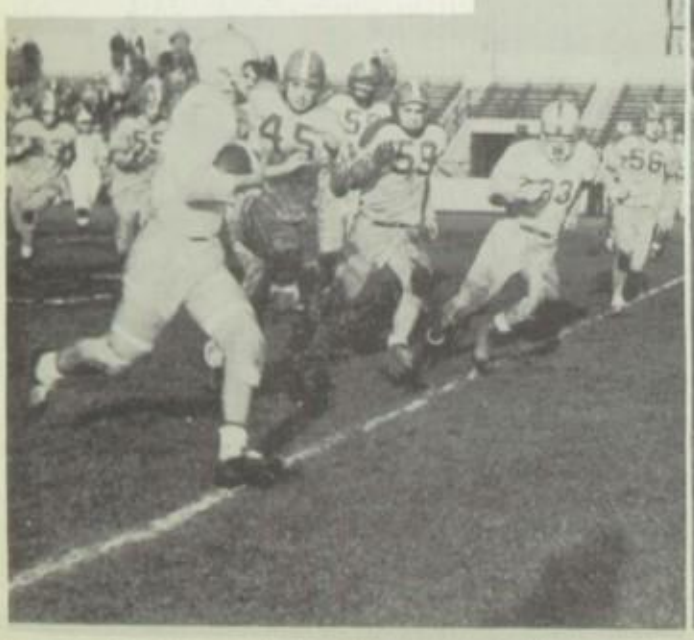




The meeting of mentors' minds means for power-packed All-City quarterback Carl Kotowicz (16), the pinpointing of the plan of attack by Line Coach Robert Samaras, left, and Head Coach Edward Kukorowski. With Greyhound team mates and fans, William Godleski (54), Bernard Glappa and Richard Cech, '54, eagerly await the kickoff.

Zig Grzanka, extreme left, as an invaluable jet in the offensive unit evades the onrush of swooping De La Salle Pilots as he bowls his way for a sizeable gain.

The Queen and Her Majest comely court take bows a flowers on the stage of Knights of Columbus H Julie Beras, who ruled o St. Lad's '54 festivities, mak the presentation. This year a freshman at the Univers of Detroit, Julie again mo her bid as a candidate the Queen title.



A host of Greyhound tacklers, with Zig Grzanka (45), Ted Gish (59) and Bob Elgin (56), rush in pursuit of Sam Di Mercurio, De La Salle quarterback as he attempts to spread-eagle the field with a minimum of interference.

Bone-crushing Greyhound back Zig Grzanka (45) bulldozes through two enemy linesmen to gain considerable yardage.

Fast-driving Edwin Boru (35) dashes for a long g as FB Marv Tuzinowski a RG Ted Gish block out a Ambrose linebacker.

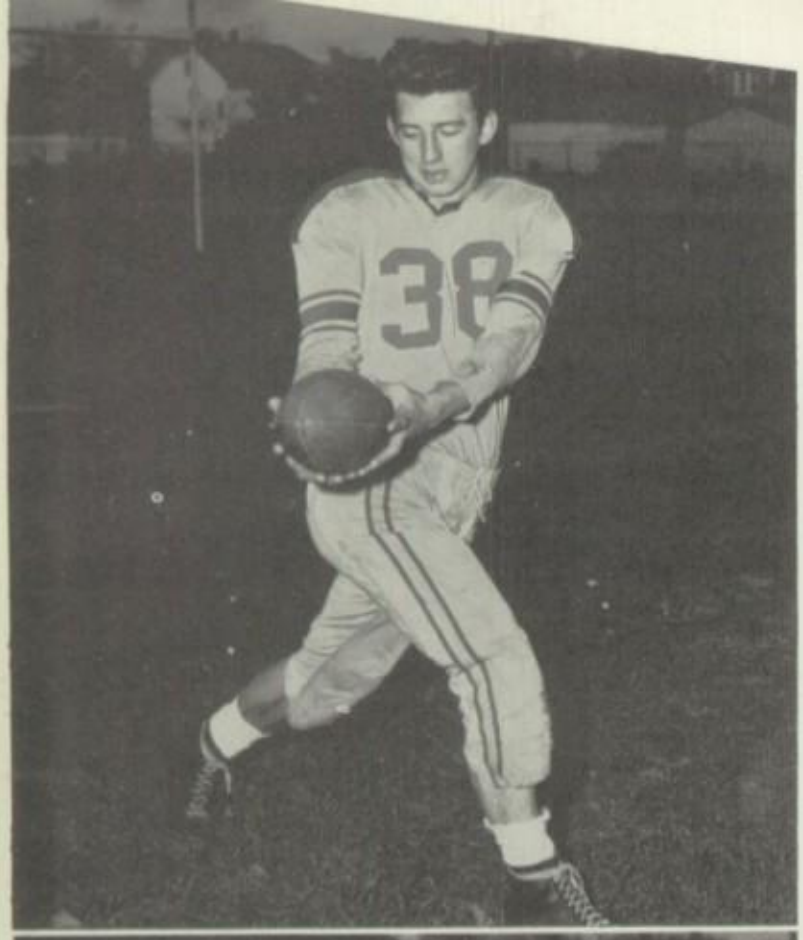
Before the skirmish with St. Ambrose, Escort Dan Sidorowicz gives Greyhound co-captains John Cech and Ziggie Grzanka a knowing look of victory as Queen Barbara removes the jinx with a royal touch.

Arrayed in taffeta and tulle, charming Queen Barbara greets and fetes SLH friends, among them city notables, at Keyworth Stadium. In the homecoming atmosphere, Hamtramck Mayor Albert J. Zak places the royal diadem on Her Majesty's brow. The crowning ceremonies took place at halftime in the clash between the long-time rivals, St. Lad's vs. St. Ambrose.

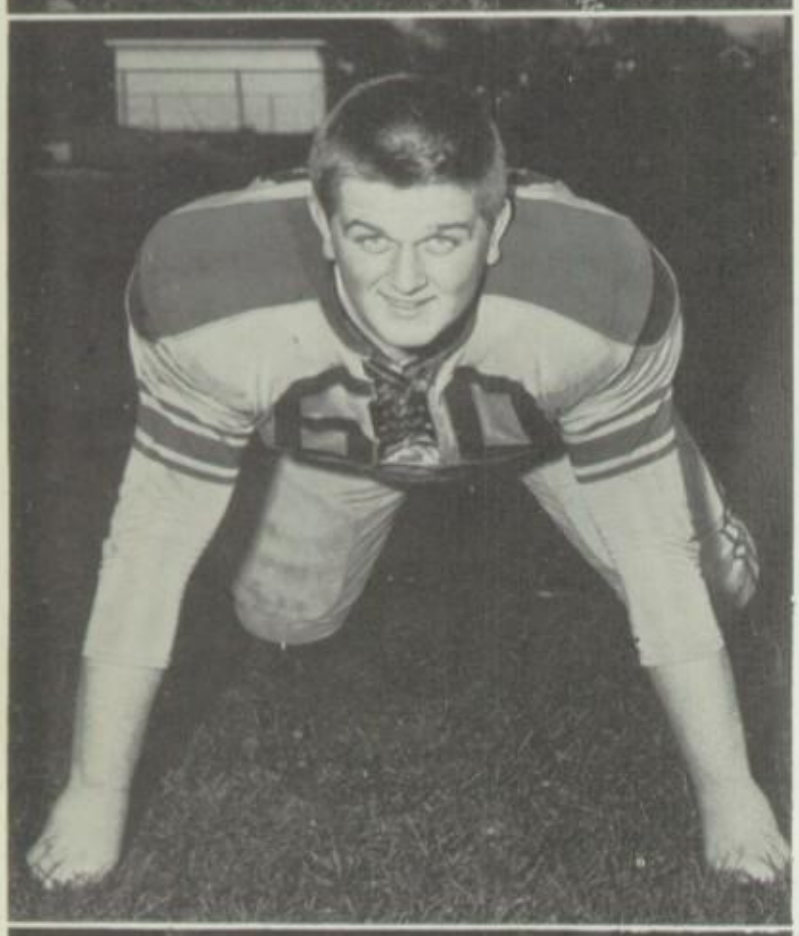
Homecoming

Scepter, crown, and a royal smile mark the queen of them all, Barbara Rataj, center. She won the throne by popular vote of the student body, besting eight competitors. Atop the Cadillac convertible chauffered by Escort Daniel Sidorowicz in the homecoming parade, Queen Barbara is flanked by the twin ladies-in-waiting, Joan and Lorraine Konarzewski. The other two charming finalists are Jean Janosky, left, and Sylvia Engel.

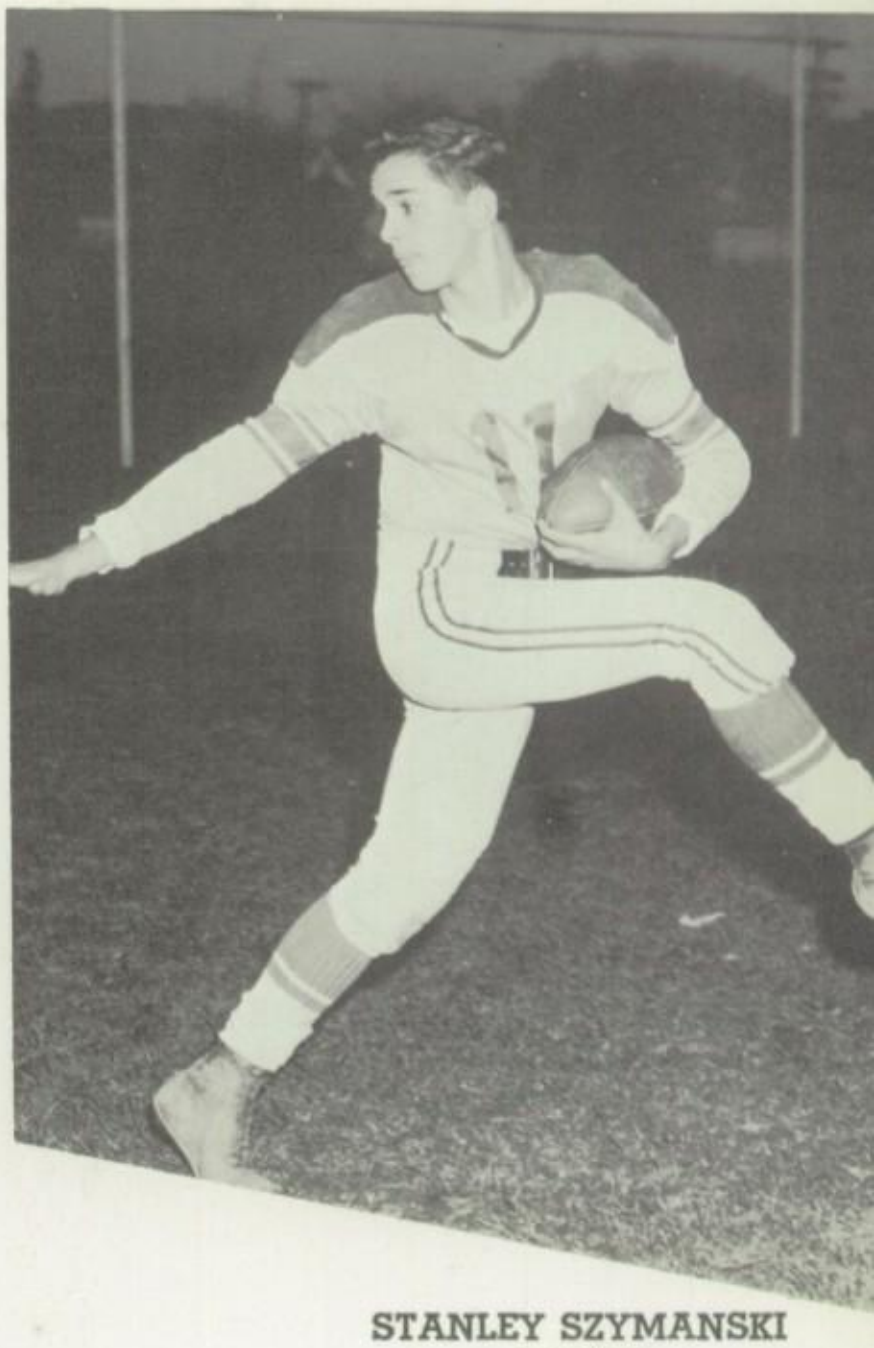
With an assist from Steve Prisby (55), hard-hitting Ed Borucki (35) downs Blue Jay Joe Eusibio after a short gain.



MARV TUZINOWSKI
Fullback



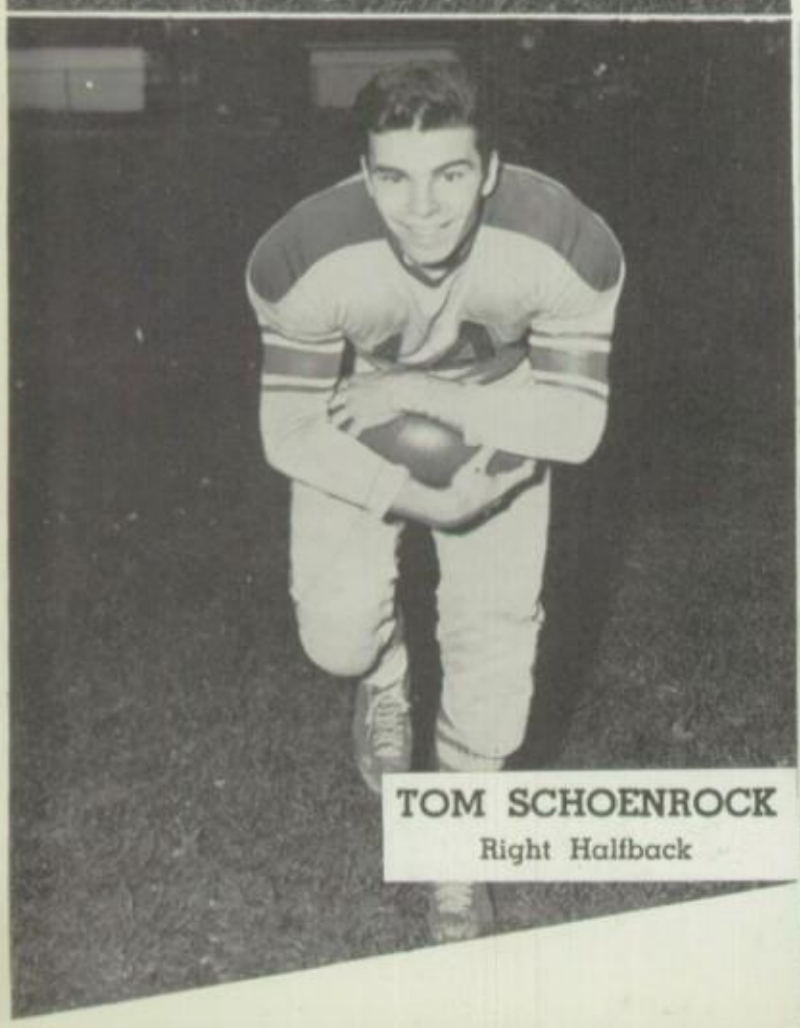
JOHN CECH,
Co-Captain
Right Halfback



STANLEY SZYMANSKI
Left Half

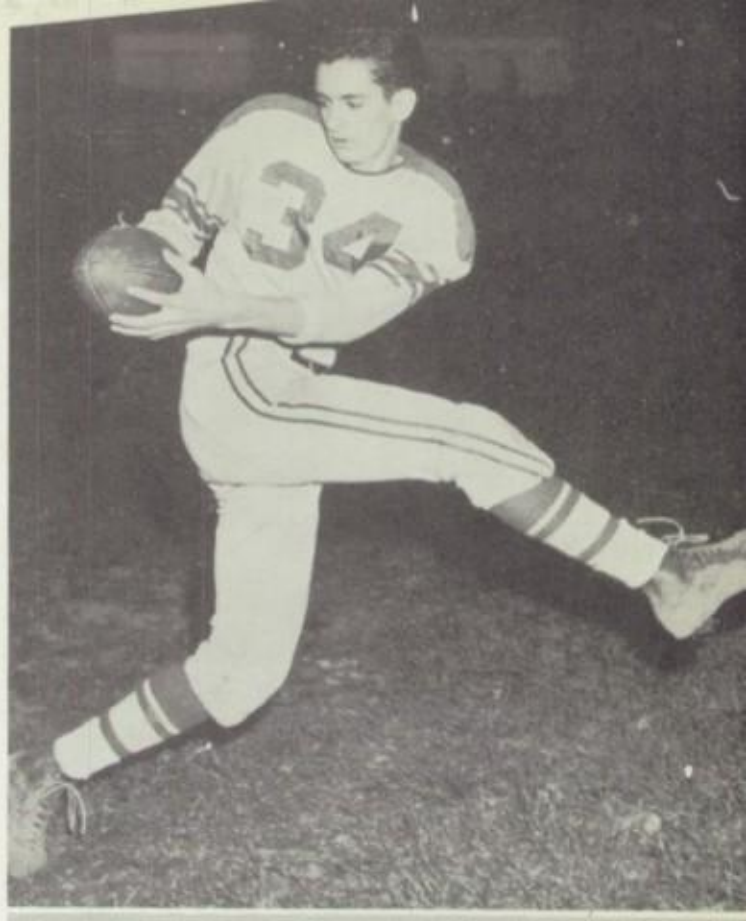
Fleetfooted end Tom Condon (61) romps through St. Joseph's defense for another short but decisive gain.

In gala array, Varsity Cheerleaders decorate room 14 for Color Day. Readying the scarlet and gray decor are: Lorraine Konarzewski, Nancy Biess, Deanna Belback, Connie Matuszewski, and Joan Konarzewski.



TOM SCHOENROCK
Right Halfback

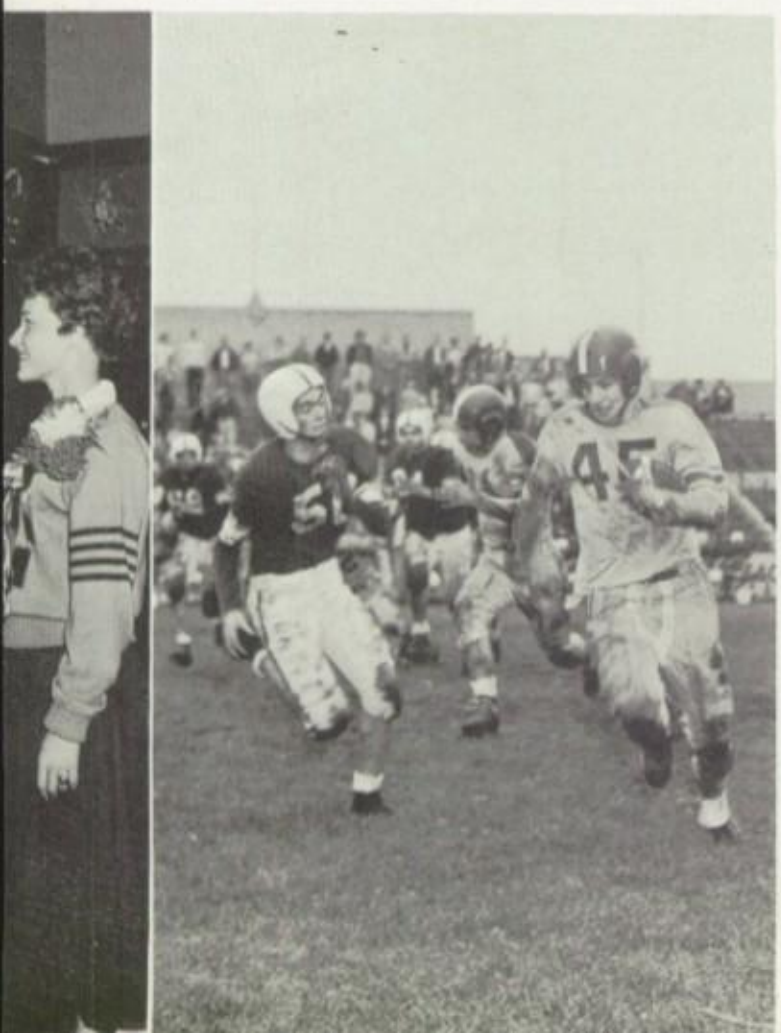
TED GISH
Left Guard

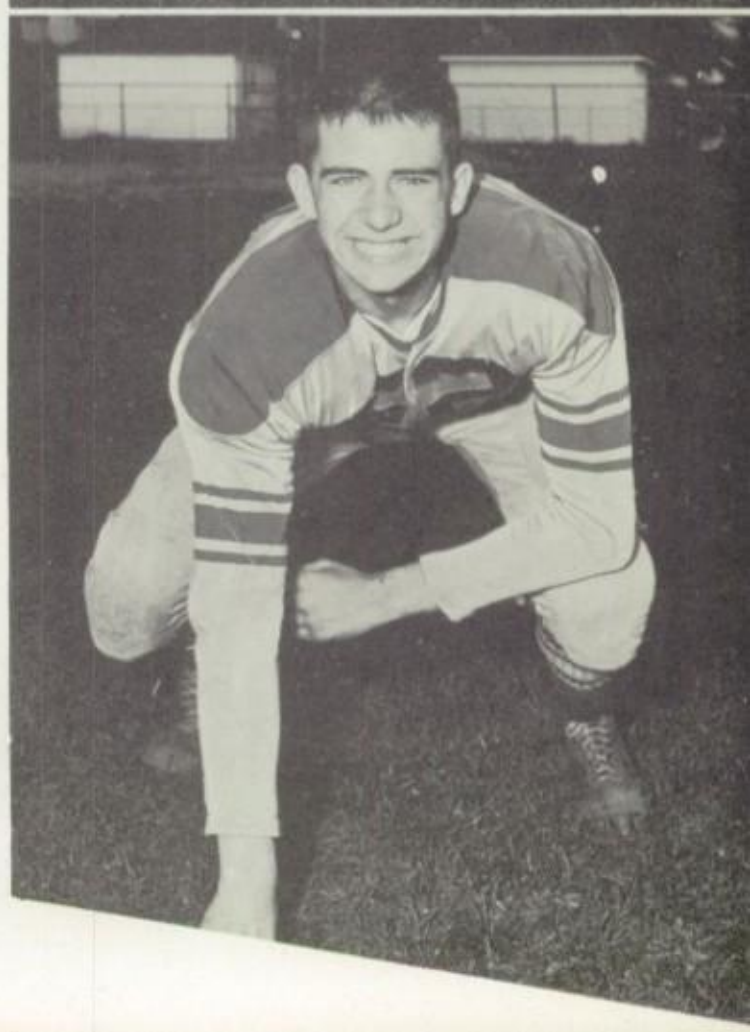


BERNARD GLAPPA
Right Tackle

ROBERT OTROMPKE
Left Tackle

Halfback Tom Schroenrock (14) attempts to throw a key block while star fullback Zig Grzanka gallops through St. Anthony's powerful defense for a long gain.





RAY ZALEWSKI
Left Tackle

The Greyhound quintet, led by Hamtramck All-City Tom Condon, though missing a .500 season by two sètbacks, came up with some brilliant playing in its 4-8 record in Catholic league competition.

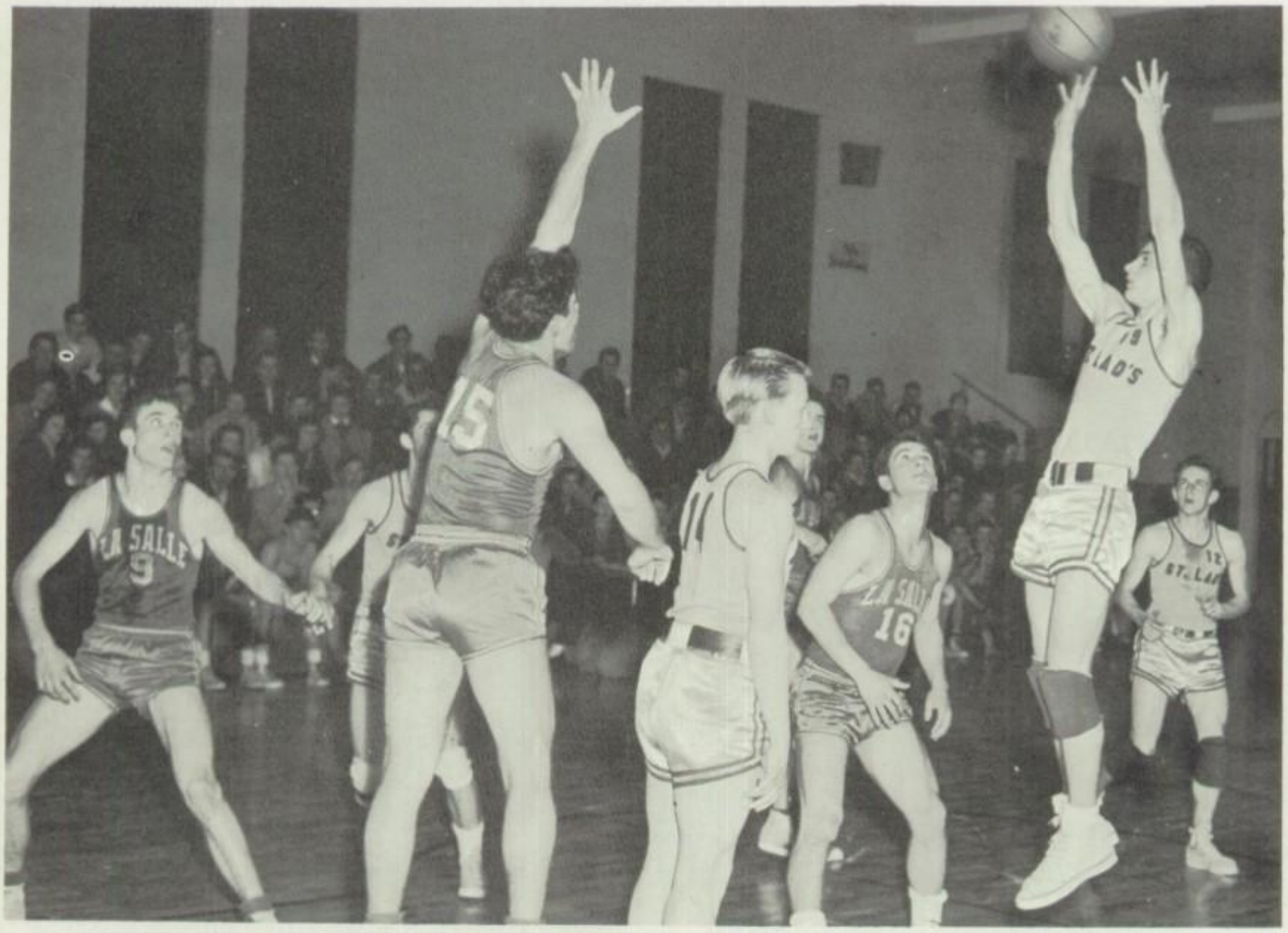
Cage captain Condon tallied 80 field goals and 40 foul shots for a total of 209 points. The four-year Varsity player made his best showing in the 64-47 surprise upset over the perenially powerful St. Anthony Teutons.

Following close at his captain's heels in the scoring race was Leonard Grabowski, a first-year Varsity player. As a junior, Len paced the J.V.'s to an East Side championship. His average playing in the early part of the season suddenly caught fire in the last battles of his career. In the annual Varsity-Alumni game, with the breakaway play, which is one of Len's most potent weapons of bombarding the foes, he peppered the meshes with seven tallies. These points, coupled with 7 charity tosses, jumped his total to 21 points.

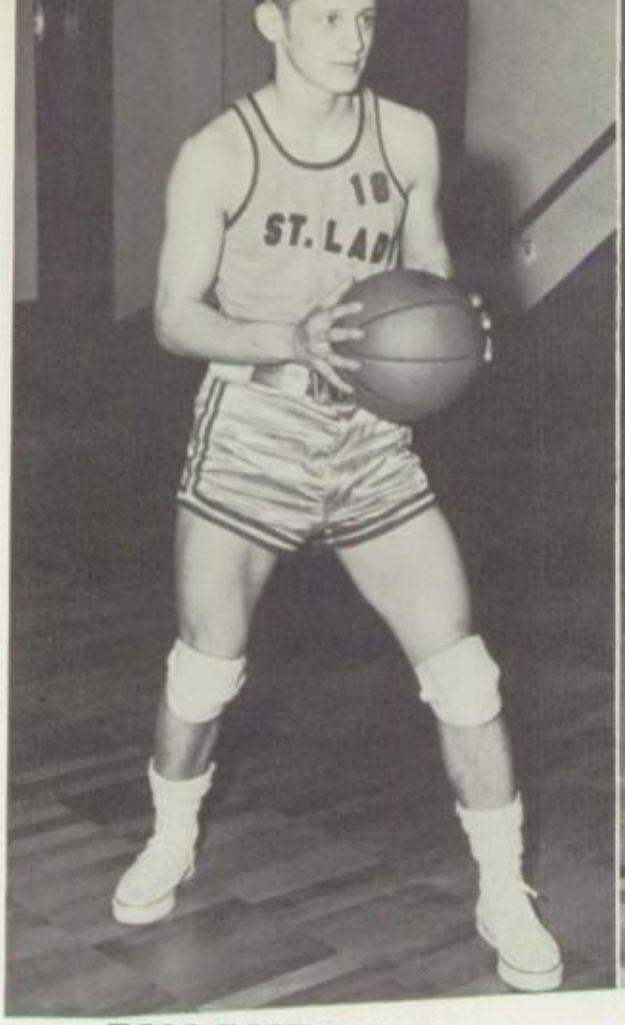
A valuable player of three years' experience, rangy Bob Rachas has held the center slot. With his hook shot specialty, Bob has had moments of glory, leading the SLH cagers in the St. Stanislaus and Hamtramck encounters.

Stellar forward Bob Elgin, a late entrant because of injuries suffered in the first semester, came through with some startling plays in the St. Stanislaus game.

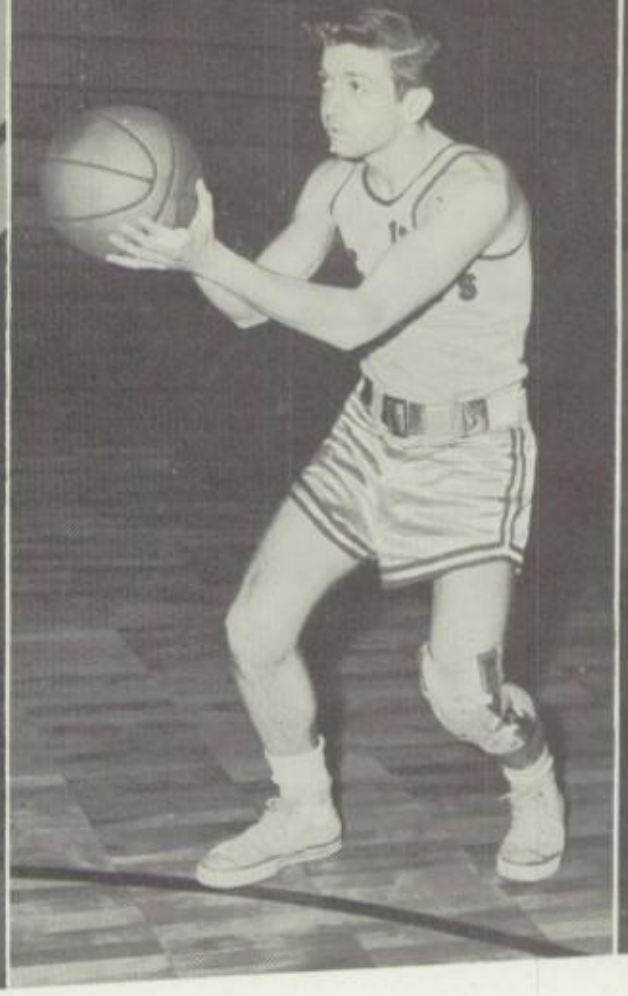
Bernard Glappa, a capable guard, was also an asset to the Greyhound squad throughout the season. With his terrific set shots, he set up numerous tallies for the forwards. His best effort was an eleven-point total in the 64-47 victory over the St. Anthony Teutons. The Greyhound aggregation, as well as the fans, will never forget his determination, fight, and drive which sparked the team whenever hopes were dimmed.



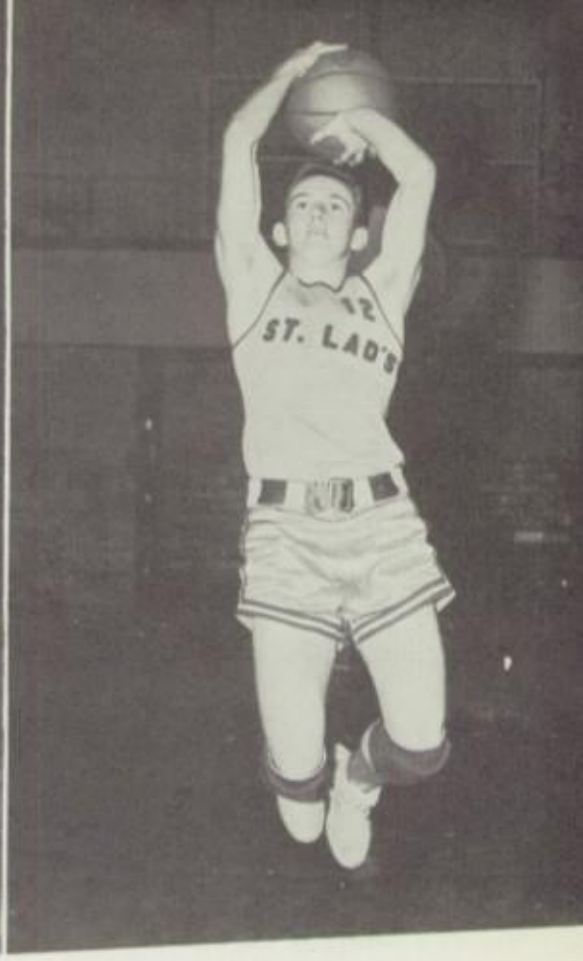
Speedy senior guard, Bernard Glappa (19), as the nemesis of the opposing fives, cuts the cords with a jump shot for two points. Bob Elgin (14) provides the necessary block while Tom Condon and Len Grabowski (12) from behind anticipate a rebound.



TOM CONDON, Captain
Forward



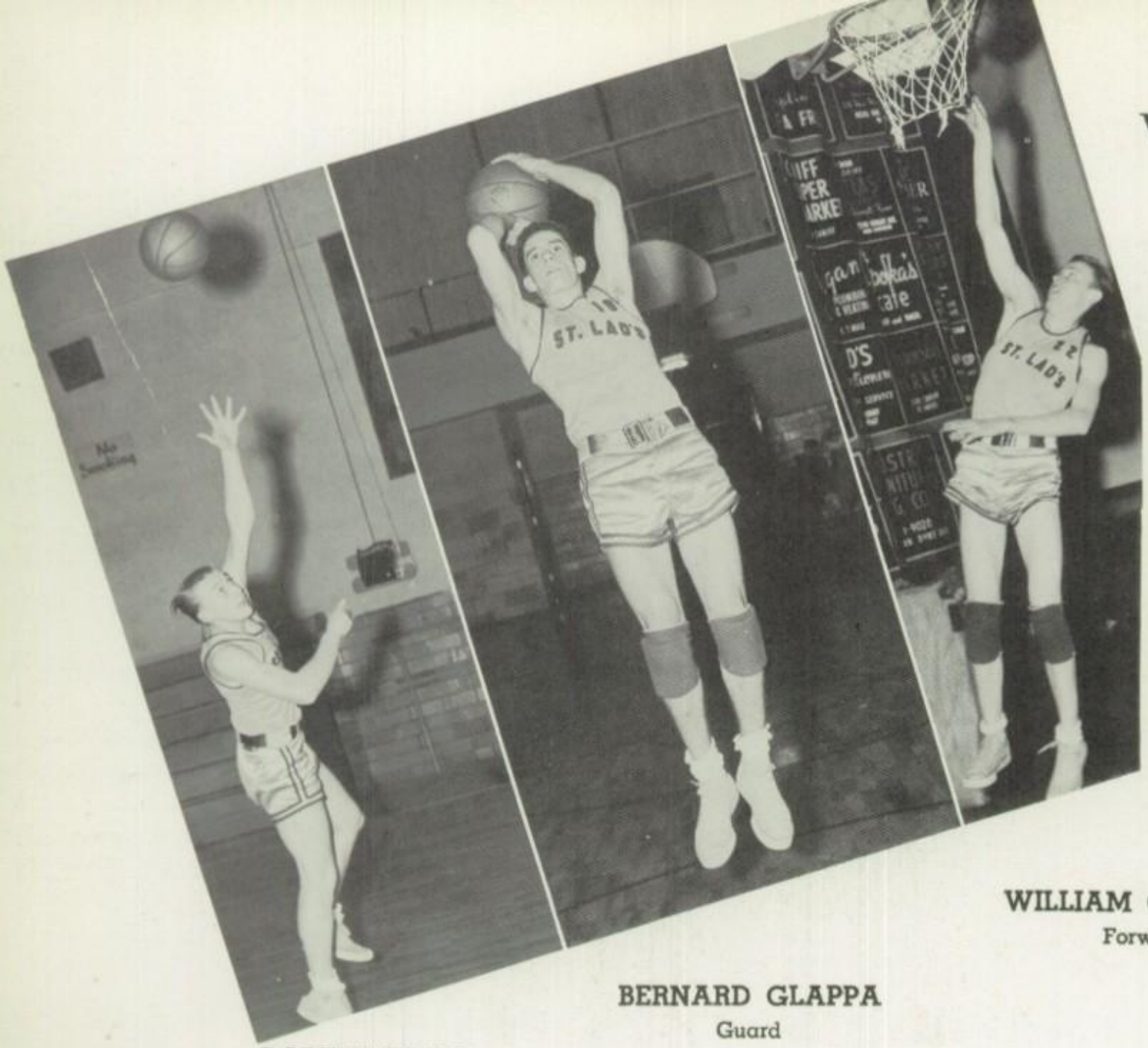
DANIEL SIDOROWICZ
Guard



LEONARD GRABOWSKI
Guard

VARSITY HOOPSTERS STAVE OFF FOES

Sitting—First row: Leonard Grabowski, Marvin Schultz, Robert Lukasiewicz, Daniel Sidorowicz, Edwin Borucki. Standing—Rev. F. Dolot, Athletic Director, Bernard Glappa, Robert Rachas, William Godleski, Robert Elgin, Coach Robert Samaras.



Varsity Quint Score

We	Opponent	The
*31	Hamtramck	52
24	St. Anthony	25
27	St. Joseph	56
35	De La Salle	39
44	St. Catherine	40
42	Servite	49
50	St. Stanislaus	65
64	St. Anthony	47
39	St. Joseph	48
38	De La Salle	59
45	St. Catherine	27
51	Servite	53
66	St. Stanislaus	59
*57	Alumni	66
*33	Orch. Lake St. Mary	57
*35	Hamtramck	71

* Non-league games

WILLIAM GODLESKI
Forward

BERNARD GLAPPA
Guard

ROBERT ELGIN
Forward

Bob Elgin's (14) one-hand shot dismays the defense of the wary De La Salle team while pivot man Condon (18) entrenches himself beneath the basket. The Pilots met the Lads in the initial encounter at the Greyhounds' new gym.

Len Grabowski (12) excellent block throws two De La Salle courtmen off stride, thus enabling Captain Tom Condon (18) display his wares for two points.

Saint Catherine's Steve Didur could not cope with cagey Captain Condon's speed and alertness as the top Greyhound scorer outmaneuvers the smaller Warrior squad.

JAYVEE COURTMEN DRIVE IN HIGH GEAR

Seated—Roger Gietek, David Steplitus, James Dzialak, Gerald Lubanski, Raymond Kozuch, Leonard Dziuk, Robert Gilewski, Richard Mroczek. Standing—Rev. Francis Dolot, Robert Cech, Robert Zrepsky, Arthur Kudla, Philip Chralowicz, Joseph Ochab, Donald Gleneski, Bob Samaras, Coach.

Jayvee Cage Parade

We	Opponent	They
*30	Hamtramck	57
41	St. Anthony	23
32	St. Joseph	30
27	De La Salle	78
38	St. Catherine	21
35	Servite	31
41	St. Stanislaus	53
25	St. Anthony	46
36	St. Joseph	28
36	De La Salle	91
51	St. Catherine	7
38	Servite	33
60	St. Stanislaus	58
*44	St. Mary Orch. Lake	59
*42	Hamtramck	72

* Non-league Games

Though sporting an 8-win and 4-loss record, the St. Lad's cage reserves did not qualify for the Jayvee league title. Unable to fully control the backboard, the little quintet gave way in the final fray to the more experienced De La Salle Pilots who swooped away the crown.

The Jayvee hoopsters' .666 average, however, cannot be overlooked in the prediction of the Greyhound cage future. The present squad makes promising Varsity material, according to cage mentor Bob Samaras. Topping the Scarlet and Gray Jayvee scoring ledger were Captain Ray Kozuch, Bob Lukasiewicz, and Leonard Dziuk.

GREYHOUND PITCHING, HITTING, AND FIELDING GAINS SECOND CROWN

"The Greyhounds had the right combination for a championship team . . . superlative pitching, exceptional fielding, and a robust attack. We had spirit . . . baseball savvy . . . teamwork . . ." was Coach Bob Samaras' praiseworthy comment about his boys at Briggs Stadium after the final baseball game. St. Ladislaus Hi downed Royal Oak Shrine, 7-1, to capture the Catholic League's first Division Championship for the second straight year. The Greyhounds' unbeaten record of eleven league and non-league games, combined with the five-run uprising in the fifth inning of the title game, came as a tonic to Father Majewski, their most ardent booster, who because of illness was unable to attend the games. This is Mr. Samaras' first year with the Greyhounds.

With Leonard "Butch" Lubanski and southpaw Leonard Grabowski — two of the most outstanding high school hurlers in the state — the SLH pitching staff held its own with the sluggers. Lubanski sports a 6-0 record with 50 strikeouts and has allowed only three runs. Left-hander Grabowski has a 2-0 record with 25 strikeouts and has only given up one in two games.

The team's batting mark was led by Len Grabowski's .702 average. Edwin Borucki and Robert Rachas shared the batting honors of a .400 average with pitchers Lubanski and Grabowski, catcher Obrycki, and shortstop Kotowicz.

The loss through graduation of the latter four seniors will be felt by the Greyhound fans. They may follow in the footsteps of their coach. It is almost a certainty, however, that several of the players will be made offers to play professional ball with major or minor leagues, or to enter college.

The veterans were intense competitors, having participated in the various baseball squads, organized by athletic director Father Francis Dolot. They won the Catholic League title last season, the American Legion state championship under the name of Ternstedt, and the State Recreation and Pony League titles. They will remain idols of long-standing to the St. Ladislaus small fry playing in the Hamtramck Pee-Wee League, the Little League and in the Battalian Eight in the Fireman League.

Baseball Champions Are They All: First row: Bob Lukasiewicz, Donald Nowak, Leonard Grabowski, Leonard Lubanski, Donald Obrycki, Edwin Borucki, Carl Kotowicz, Jerome Socha. Second row: Athletic Director Rev. Francis J. Dolot, Assistant Coach John Radwanski, Leonard Dziuk, Robert Rachas, Thomas Churilla, David Steplitus, Roger Pelc, Marvin Schultz, Ray Wlodkowski, Jerome Lubanski, and Coach Bob Samaras.

BATTING AVERAGES

Leonard Grabowski	(1b)	.643
Marvin Schultz	(3b)	.516
Edwin Borucki	(cf)	.441
Leonard Lubanski	(p)	.423
Carl Kotowicz	(ss)	.400
Donald Obrycki	(c)	.355
Robert Rachas	(lf)	.345
Roger Pelc	(2b)	.153
Gerald Socha	(rf)	.150

Team's Batting Average .300

100 hits out of 255 times at bat

Proving that pitching is only one of its strong points, St. Ladislaus had seven regulars that powered the horsehide for a .300 or better average. Kneeling are seniors Len Grabowski, Carl Kotowicz, Len Lubanski and Don Obrycki. Sophomore Marv Schultz and Junior duo, Ed Borucki and Bob Rachas, complete the group.

Future big-leaguers Carl Kotowicz, Donald Obrycki, and Leonard Lubanski beam a smile of confidence as they gear themselves for their final high-school encounter.

Hands across the plate! Father Francis Dolot shakes hands with Father Robert Kilcoyne as Father Thomas Masterson looks on previous to the championship game at Briggs Stadium.

Displaying his fine fielding form, Junior Ed Bor shows his father that he is ready for the big ga

Diamond Slate

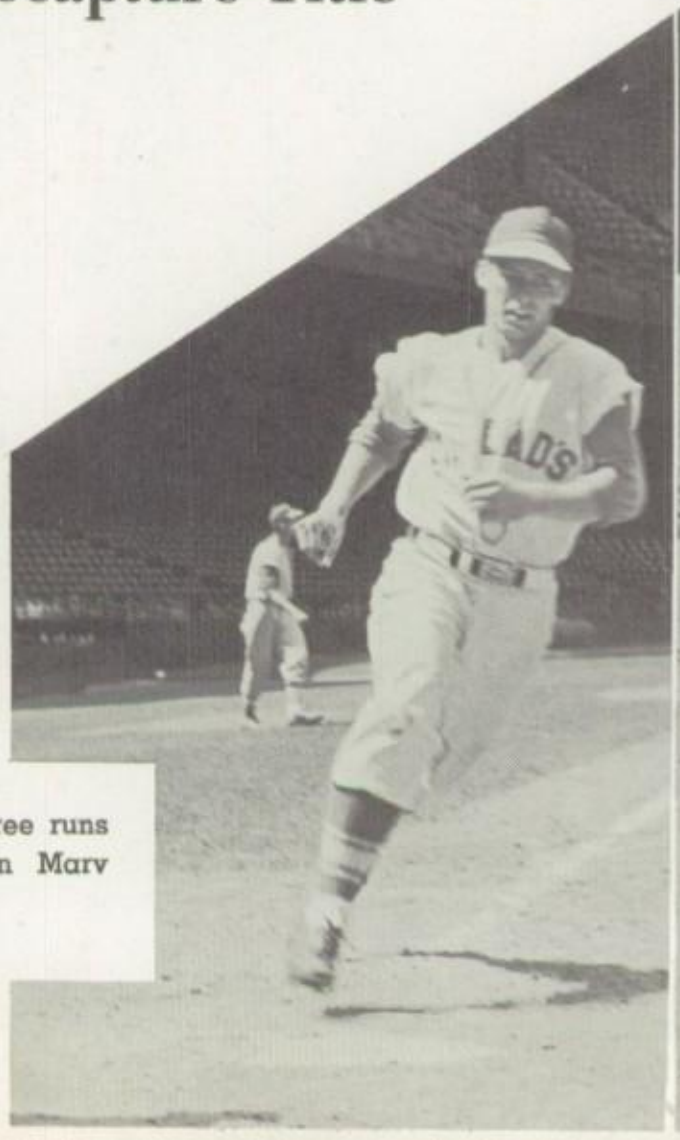
OPPONENT	THEY	WE
Hamtramck	5	11
Hamtramck	2	22
De La Salle	0	2
St. Ambrose	0	9
St. Joseph	1	21
St. Anthony	0	9
St. Stanislaus	0	21
St. Catherine	1	9
St. Anthony	0	3
De La Salle	2	9
Shrine	1	7

Master moundsmen of St. Ladislaus meet the initiation of the baseball season. Mayor Albert Zak welcomes Detroit Tiger Pitcher Steve Gromek '38, at the Greyhounds' opener with their crosstown rivals of Hamtramck High. Mayor Zak having thrown the first pitch, fireballing Len Lubanski — and one of the state's best — seriously takes over.

LEONARD LUBANSKI
Pitcher

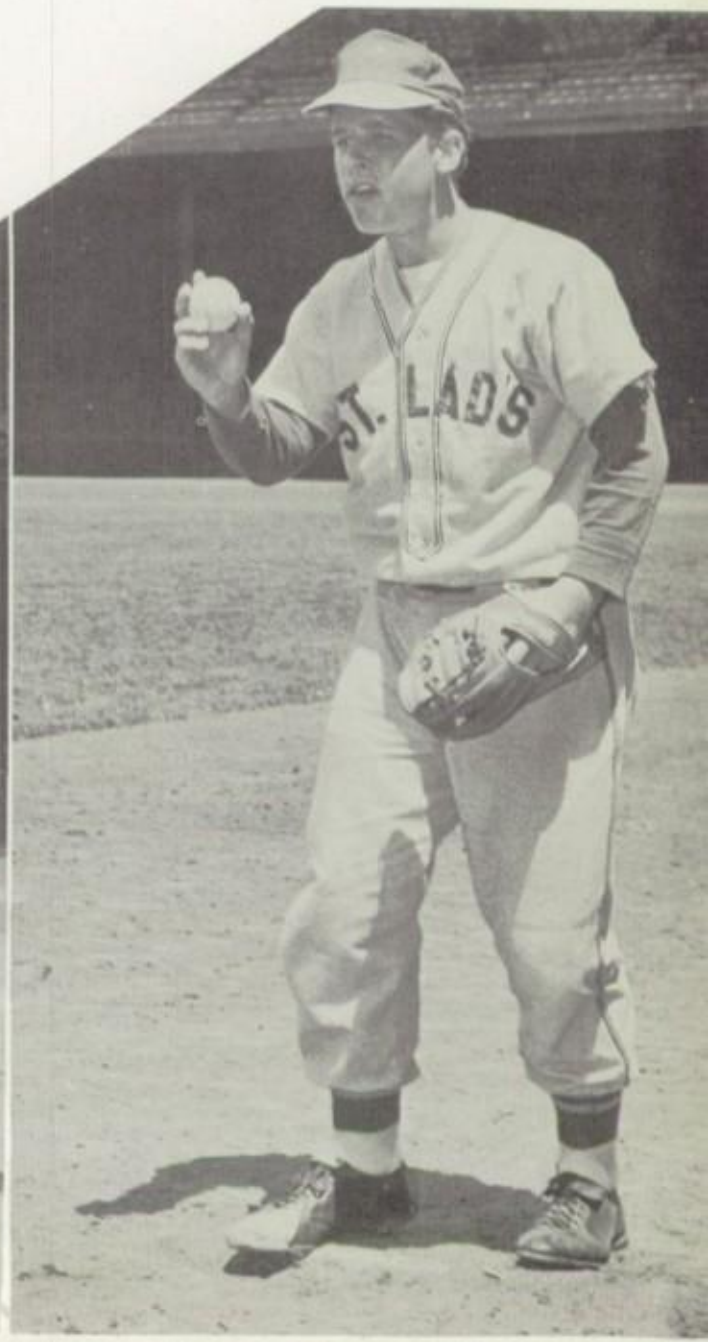
CARL KOTOWICZ
Shortstop

Diamond Men Recapture Title



Veteran speed-ball artist, Len Lubanski sets himself for the next pitch before firing a fast ball to strike out a Shrine batsman.

Hitting star of the contest with four singles and three runs batted in, Carl Kotowicz scores from second on Marv Schultz's single.



All eyes follow the play at first base at Len Grabowski as he crosses the plate.

LUBANSKI, KOTOWICZ STAR

St. Ladislaus Retains Title

By HARVEY BARCUS

Leonard Lubanski and Carl Kotowicz starred in Briggs Stadium yesterday as St. Ladislaus won the Parochial League ... Division baseball ... for the second ... a 7-1 ...

... good," said Bob Samar... first year as coach ... be up there ... only fo... a...

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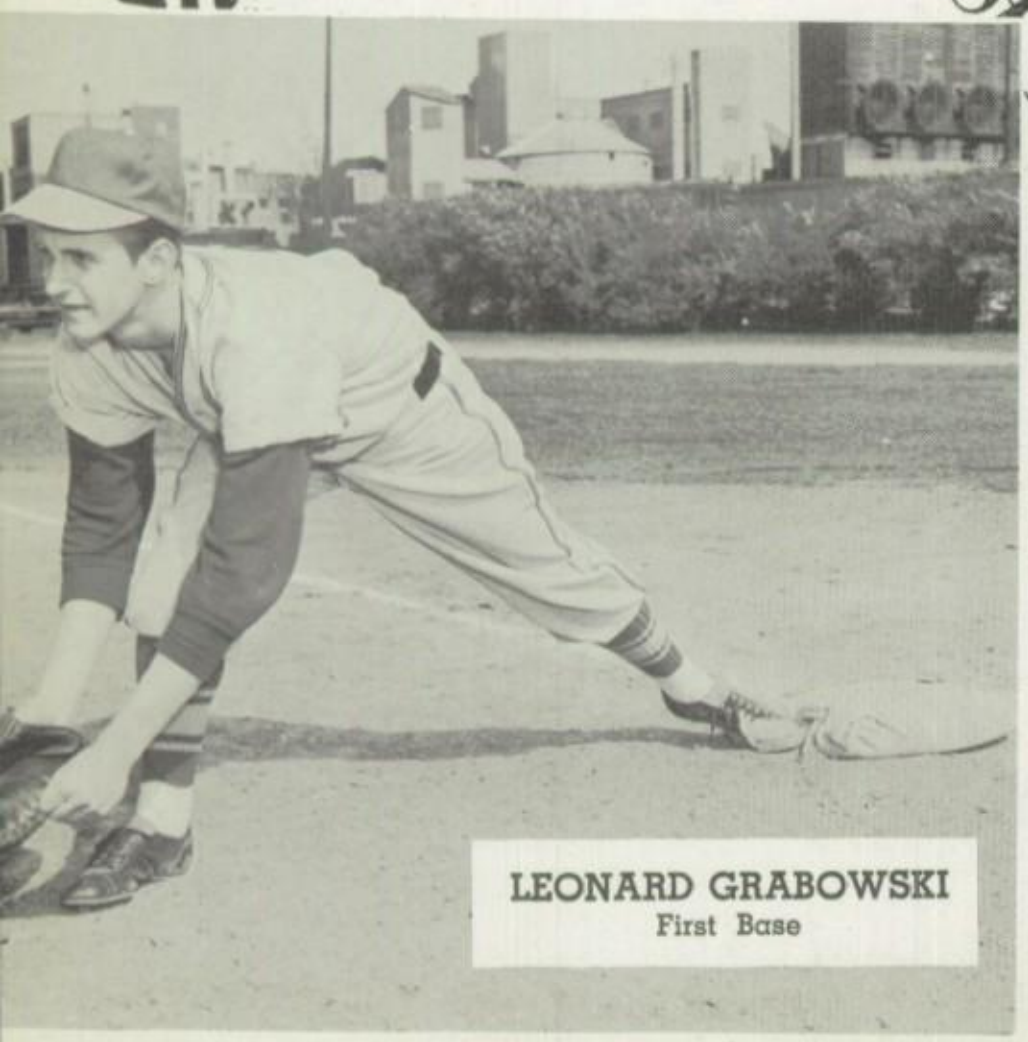
..., 16, ...its as St. ... St. Hedwig, ... the Third Division ...rochial League title yesterday, while shortstop Carl Kotowicz made four successive singles, drove in three runs and scored one as St. Ladislaus beat Shrine, 7-1, for the First Division championship. — News Photos.
(Story on Page 68)

...arl Kotowicz

Greyhounds Beat Shrine in Final

BALTIMORE ... Outbid 6 Clubs For St. Lad's Shortstop

farm club in ... class. Present at ... took place ... p.m., we ... St. Lad...



LEONARD GRABOWSKI
First Base

Greyhounds Eye St. Anthony, 5th Win

st Year, No. 39 Thursday, June 2, 1955

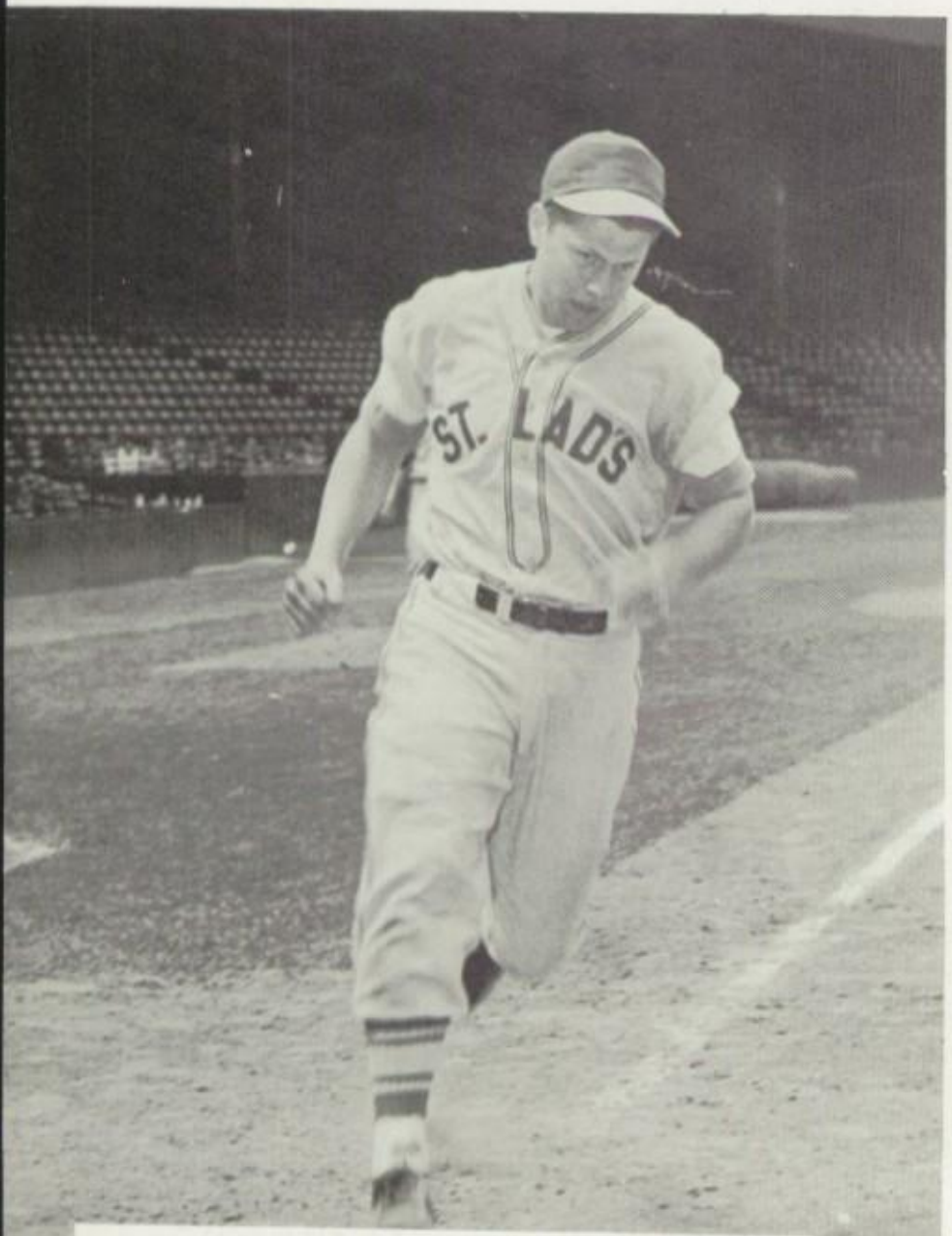
SEBALL T
ADISL

me Is Dedicated to Hospitalized Priest

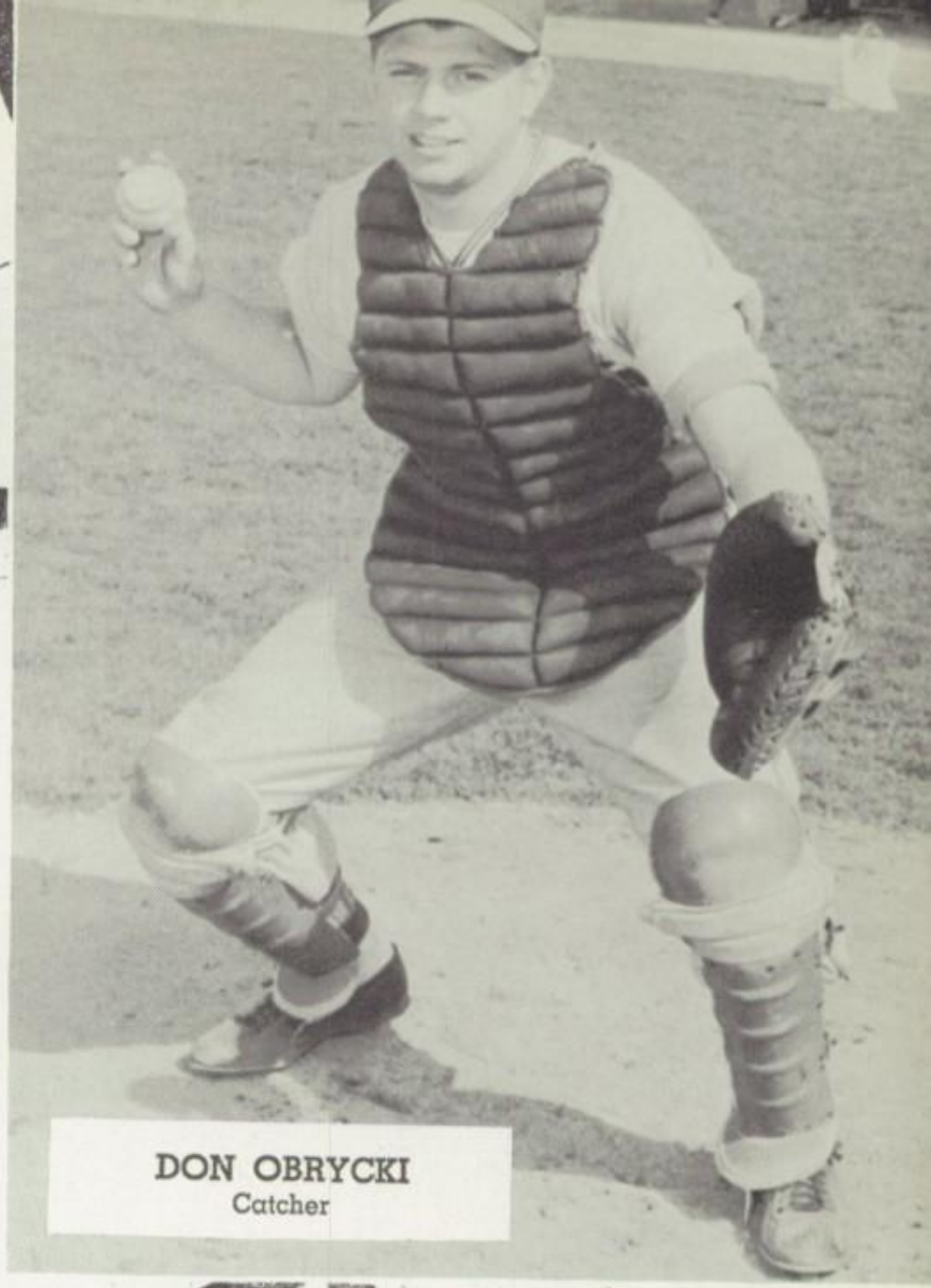
BY DON WARDA

When the East Side Catholic League champions, t. Ladislaus, battle for the First Division crown Tuesay at Briggs Stadium, they'll have only one thing in ind—winning the big one for their pastor, Rev. A. A. ajewski, who is ill at the Holy Cross Hospital.

The boys will be trying twice as hard for this one, edicating the game to Father Majewski, who was ken seriously ill two and a half weeks ago. The chamonship tilt will take place at 1 p.m. at Briggs with e Greyhounds facing either St. Patrick or Shrine r the coveted title.



With the speed of a gazelle, Don Obrycki circles the basepaths in a pre-game warm-up. Don repeated the action by scoring the final run in the five-run fifth inning.



DON OBRYCKI
Catcher

RAMPLES ST. JOE, 21-1

Unbeaten In Season

t players on St. Ladislaus baseball team barely to celebrate winning the League First Division ship yesterday. They busy getting ready to sandlot action this

unds repeated as ns by whipping finals at Briggs hen a five-run fifth inning duel between ki and Grant

.400 Team

The Greyhou team batting av .400 during the went to work on smashed across fi the aid of a two-ru Don Obrycki and single, good for two

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Mike Flajole's triple sixth spoiled Lubanski's sh

St. Cyril won the Third sion crown, defeating St. He in the finals at Northwest Field, 3-0, as Bill Roman hurl a two-hitter, struck out six an walked one.

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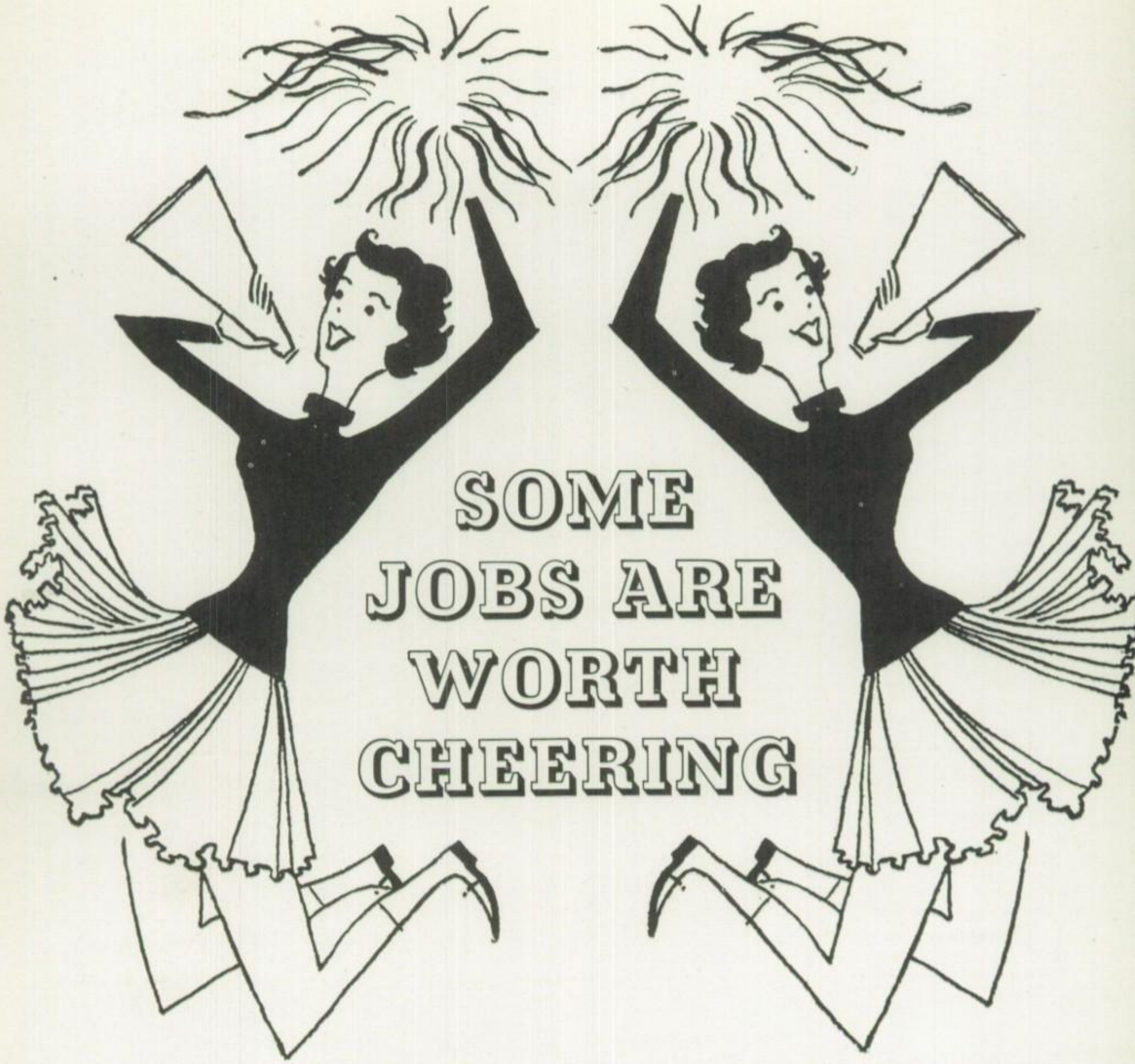

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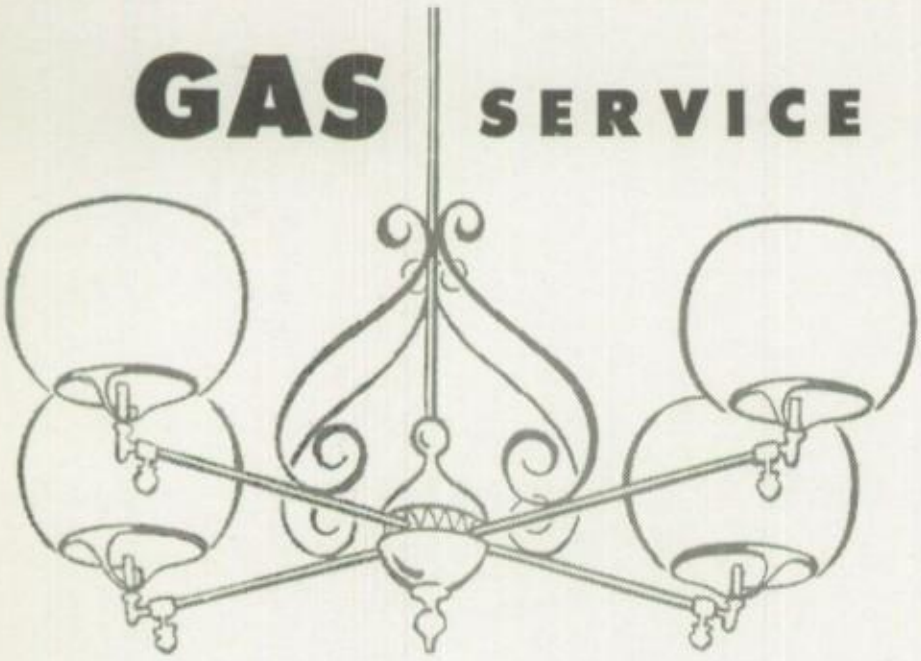

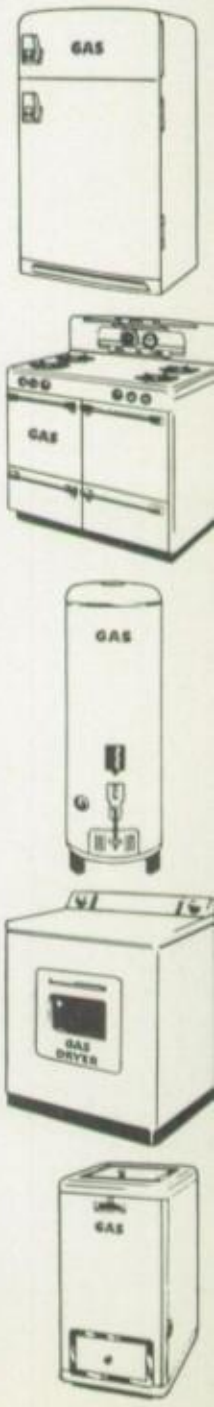

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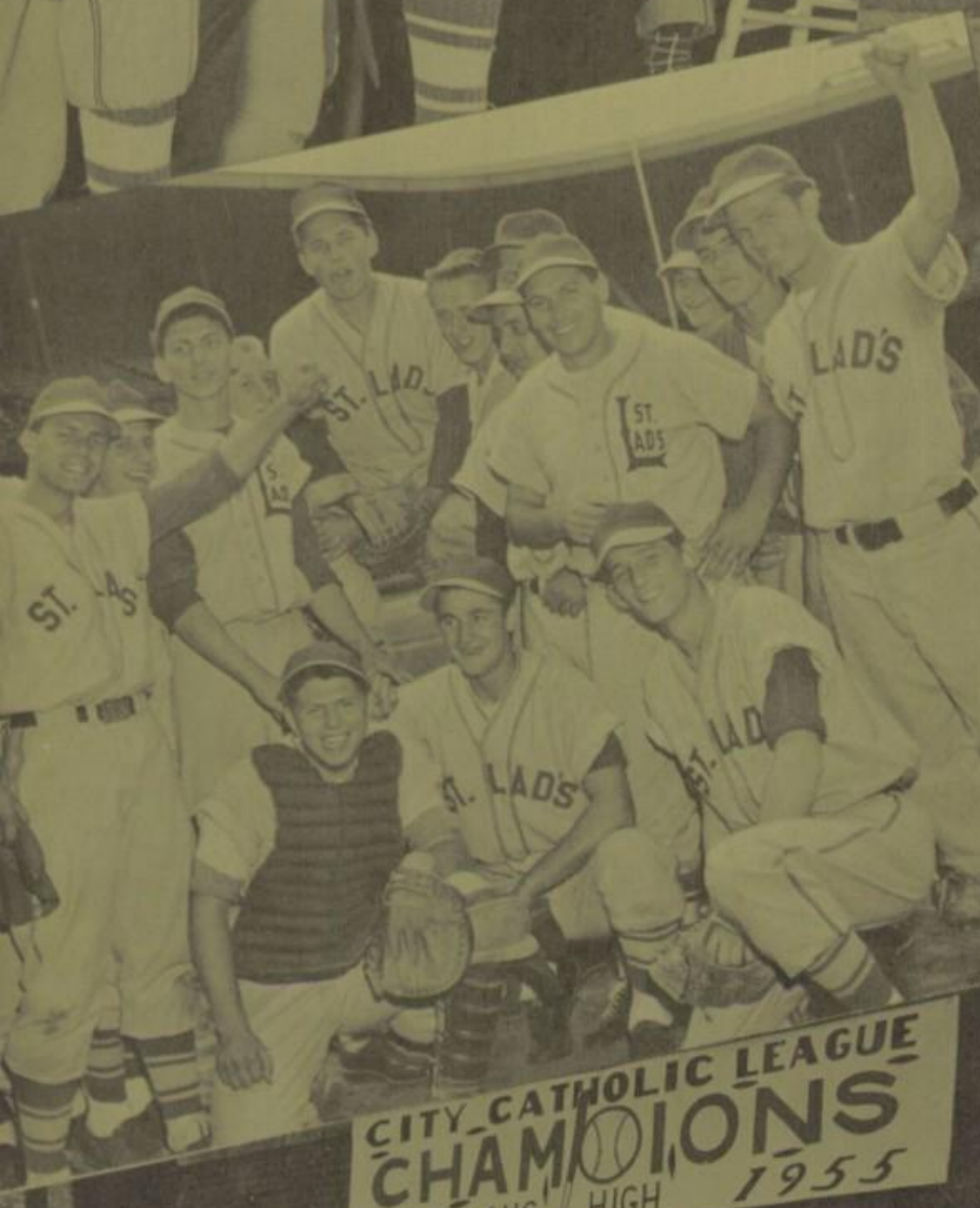

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